

## Dr. Edwin F. Yancey Is Dead

### Funeral To Be At The Home at 2:30 P. M. Saturday

Dr. Edwin Forrest Yancey, prominent citizen of Sedalia, retired medical director of the Missouri-Kansas-Texas Railroad, and a nationally known physician and surgeon, passed away at his home, 803 West Broadway, at 12:45 o'clock this morning. He had been ill for more than a year, and bed-fast since last January. His devoted wife, who has been at his bedside almost constantly for weeks, was with him.

Dr. Yancey was born in Otterville, Cooper county, in 1858, a son of James F. and Lydia Homan Yancey, both natives of Virginia. He was reared in Cooper county, attended school there, and in 1879 entered the Missouri Medical College, St. Louis, graduating in 1882 with the degree of Doctor of Medicine. He located first at Clifton City, where he practiced for a short time.

### High Ranking Surgeon

In June, 1882, he was offered and accepted a position as second house surgeon in the hospital of the Gould Southwest System, at Sedalia, where both Missouri-Pacific and Missouri-Kansas-Texas patients were treated. He served under Dr. W. P. King, and after a few months his efficient work gained him a promotion to chief house surgeon, and when the M. K. T. emerged from its receivership he was appointed assistant chief surgeon. In 1890 he became chief surgeon, and in 1913, when M. K. T. employees' hospital association was incorporated, Dr. Yancey was named medical director for the entire system. This position he held until February 1, 1937, when he retired after more than fifty-two years continuous service with the M. K. T.

Dr. Yancey was recognized throughout the country as one of the leading men in his profession. He was a member of the Pettis County Medical Society, the State Medical Society, the American Association of Chief Surgeons, a representative of the American Railway Association, and a Fellow of the American College of Surgeons, an exclusive medical society.

Since the opening of the Bothwell hospital in Sedalia he had held the position of Chief of Staff.

### Distinguished Career

Dr. Yancey's career as a physician and surgeon has been distinguished, and his life was replete with interesting experiences. As a boy he had many chores on the farm, but he crowded in a grammar and high school education, then realized his boyhood ambition when he went to college. He returned to his home county to practice, and his rich, full life was shared with his own

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## Reports To Red Cross Excellent

Red Cross roll call objectives are being reached with large surplus in many sections of the country. Reports coming into the Sedalia chapter headquarters are most encouraging. Green Ridge and Hughesville communities have had fine success in more than doubling previous roll call enrollments and they have many people yet to contact.

Given below are additional firms with 100 per cent enrollments:

C. W. Flower Dry Goods Co., City Letter Carriers, Rural Letter Carriers, Johns Lumber Company, Aleskins Dry Goods store, Queen City Electric Co.

There are many telephone calls at chapter headquarters for workers to call on families that have been away from home or where the worker has been unable to contact them, who to enroll.

The following chairman will appreciate their workers responding to these calls, as Sedalia chapter, the oldest in the state of Missouri, is desirous of making this the greatest roll call member achievement in its history. The public is responding and they want to assist every adult in becoming a member of the Red Cross.

The chairman are: Joe Rosenthal, large business groups; Edward Mullahey, special groups; I. H. Reid, industrial groups, John (Jack) Crawford, business district, Mrs. Willard Dean, residential districts, Sedalia; Mrs. M. E. Green, towns and out-lying school districts of Pettis county and Mrs. Paul Zink, Sedalia school districts.

## Store Burglary At Otterville

The E. R. Blakesly general merchandise store at Otterville was entered and robbed some time early this morning and between \$45 and \$50 in cash, and some groceries and cigarettes taken.

Entrance was gained by breaking a glass in the front door, then removing an iron bar and unlocking the door from the inside.

The hour was placed as stated because of the finger prints on the frosted window pane.

The highway patrol and Sheriff George B. Harlan, the latter of Booneville, were called and are making an investigation.

The Bank of Otterville was entered and robbed on the night of October 10 or early of the morning of the 11th.

## Threat To Turn Over Auto By Strike Pickets

### News Man Runs Into Shooting In Coal Mines Strike

By Marben Graham

(Member of the Pittsburgh staff of the Associated Press who was caught in the middle of today's disturbances in the mine fields of Fayette county.)

UNIONTOWN, Pa., Nov. 21.—(P)—About 4:30 o'clock this morning I drove out past the Buffington and Filbert mines of the Frick Coke company, and noticed the picket lines were a bit heavier than since they first were established on Monday.

At Filbert, an automobile had been swung across the roadway leading to the mine. A huge log blocked off the other half. Pickets congregated about a big blazing bonfire in near freezing weather.

Cruising on down the main road to Edensboro, scene of sporadic firing yesterday, I noted virtually all lights had been turned in the "company patch," a community comprised of company owned houses occupied by miners.

At the same time yesterday morning, every third or fourth house had lights on. Trouble seemed ahead.

I called to a pedestrian, but he only came to me to speed up.

About 5:10 a. m., the trouble was under way. There was sporadic shooting going on. You could not tell exactly where shots were coming from, but they did not seem too close.

Driving down to the picket line, congregated at the entrance to the Edensboro mine, I began counting cars as far as two blocks away. I had reached 38 when suddenly pickets began shouting: "Shut off their lights!"

Rocks began to fly. I switched off the lights and hustled through the pickets down the road, where there are two other Frick mines, Gates and Palmer.

### Furious Rush By Pickets

Gates was quiet. But when I

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## Scouts To Give Bird Houses Away

The Sedalia Scouts have 500 Blue Bird houses to give away to people interested in putting them up.

All Scouts and Cubs will mobilize in uniform Saturday morning at 9:00 o'clock in front of the court house to receive the bird houses.

Blue Bird houses are to be put up during the fall or winter in order that the snow and rain and weather will condition the new wood so that the Blue Bird will inhabit them. The houses must be put from four to six feet from the ground.

The Blue Bird is the Missouri state bird and the last few years they have not increased in numbers, due to lack of houses or holes in fence posts to live in. Sponsors hope that this bird house project will receive the cooperation of all bird loving people.

## Maneuvers Are Not All Make-Believe In The Army

(By Ruth Cowan)

ROCKINGHAM, N. C., Nov. 21.—(P)—All is not make-believe in the Carolinas army maneuvers. At the first evacuation hospital here, back of the lines, it is a reality.

Olive gray ambulances, marked with the medical corps' Red Cross, roll up to the receiving station. But the doctors on duty don't consider it just part of "war games." To them it is real.

In one day, for example, there were five men brought in from the field for emergency appendectomies. There were cases of amputated fingers, smashed hands, injured heads—all real.

Then was the lad brought in, his head bandaged, gamely smoking a cigarette. He had been in a maneuver accident. A few hours later he died.

## Ten Shot In Clash At Mines

### Federal Steps Await Reply From Lewis

WASHINGTON, Nov. 21.—(P)—President Roosevelt indicated today that no federal action might be expected in the captive coal mine dispute before he receives a reply tomorrow from John L. Lewis stating the position of the United Mine Workers policy committee of the chief executive's latest appeal for settlement.

Mr. Roosevelt had asked for either maintenance of the status quo on the issue of a "closed shop" as he phrased it, or an agreement to arbitrate with any resulting decision being accepted in advance.

While Lewis gave a clear cut indication that the appeal would be rejected by United Mine Workers. Mr. Roosevelt said he did not think there would be any developments in the coal situation until tomorrow.

### Ten Men Wounded

Ten men, three of them saying they were pickets, were shot and wounded in a new clash between pickets and non-striking miners in Fayette county, Pennsylvania, center of the captive mine industry in that state. Three men were wounded there yesterday.

Asked at his press conference whether he meant "developments of your initiative," Mr. Roosevelt said no, he expected to hear from Lewis and his policy committee tomorrow and that was what he had meant.

"Have you decided what to do on labor legislation?" a reporter inquired.

There is no news on that, the chief executive responded.

The new Pennsylvania disorders came after 50 or 75 carloads of United Mine Workers' pickets had driven from nearby Washington to the vicinity of the H. C. Frick Company's Edensboro mine. Volleys after volleys of shots could be heard.

The Frick company, a subsidiary of U. S. Steel, operates nearly a score of mines in Fayette county and has claimed 25 per cent of normal production since the UMW called the strike Monday to enforce its demands for a union shop in the captive coal mines in six states. Union officials say about 300 miners out of a normal force of about 13,000 are working at Frick mines.

### Sympathy Strikes Spread

Sympathy strikes in commercial mines, not covered by the strike call, had spread to 16 Pennsylvania pits, employing 46,000 men, while between 25,000 and 28,000 miners were involved in the captive mine walkout. Steel companies own the captive mines and use their output while the product of commercial mines is sold on the open market.

As the spreading sympathy stop-

## Women Injured When Hit By Car

Mrs. J. B. McCarthy and Mrs. J. Keever, sisters who live at 209 East Sixth street, were injured, although it is believed neither seriously, when they were struck by a car at the intersection of Sixth street and Lamine avenue, about 5:55 o'clock Thursday evening.

The women were crossing the street when struck by a car driven by Miss Virginia McBride, 902 South Kentucky avenue.

They were taken at once to the Bothwell hospital, where it was found Mrs. McCarthy had suffered a cut on the top of her head, and a possible concussion. Mrs. Keever was less seriously injured.

Both were said to be getting along all right this afternoon.

On the less serious side there are men who have walked and walked and raised a blister. There are the "gold bricks" who have figured out that a hospital bed is more comfortable than sleeping under the stars.

The evacuation hospital, under the command of Col. R. G. Devoe, has been set up under simulated war conditions to handle accidents and diseases that might be expected among 300,000 men in the field.

Col. Devoe said that considering the "blackout" maneuvers, the number of traffic accidents was surprisingly small. At the moment the largest number of cases hospitalized was due to respiratory troubles caused by the dust kicked up in maneuvers and sleeping out-doors in nippy weather.

## Physician and Surgeon Dies Today



Dr. Edwin Forrest Yancey, retired medical director of the Missouri-Kansas-Texas railroad, prominent Sedalian, died at his home, 803 West Broadway, at 12:45 o'clock this morning.

## Course To Meet Emergencies

### Be At High School Sunday For Scouts And Others

(By Scouts Reporter)

An Emergency Service Training course will be conducted for Pettis, Saline and Benton counties, Sunday, November 23, from 8:30 a. m. until 6:00 p. m. All Scouts and Scouts are urged to attend this course, and any men of the police and fire departments or any company or institution where safety is an important factor. This course will be held at the Smith-Cotton high school.

The emergency service course will be under the direction of Capt. Williams, an executive of the National Council of the Boy Scouts of America. This course will be of interest to all who take part.

### Train For Aid

This course is to train men and scouts to be prepared in case of any emergency such as a large fire or bad windstorms where peoples' lives are in danger and sometimes lost. You will remember a few weeks ago Kansas City suffered a bad wind storm, where streets were blocked, telephone and light connections were torn down and lives lost, the Scouts and leaders were trained and were on the job in a few minutes to give assistance to all the other organizations in taking care of the injured and clearing the streets.

This program will include fire prevention, First Aid and many of the requirements to become a member of the Emergency Service Corps. Also how to set up the Emergency Service Corps and the relationship and liaison with other organizations.

There will be a church service conducted by Rev. O. J. Rumpf for the entire group at 8:30 a. m. the course will start promptly at 9:00 a. m.

## Post F. TPA, To Banquet

Post F. Travelers Protective Association of Sedalia will have a banquet to be followed by addresses and a dance at the Ambassador room in Hotel Bothwell Saturday evening.

The banquet session will start at 6:30 o'clock and after the repeat addresses will be delivered by Lou Schultz, state president of the P. T. A., and Myron D. Piersol, secretary, both of St. Louis. C. I. Taylor, a director of the local post, will also give an address.

Dancing will start about 9 p. m.

Traffic Record For Sedalia	
Fatalities to date, 1941	2
Fatalities for 1940	4
Fatalities for 1939	5
Auto Accidents to date	157
Auto Accidents for 1940	143
Auto Accidents for 1939	170
Pedestrians Struck To date	15
For 1940	9
For 1939	5

## Inquest Is Held On Remmert

### Body Of Salesman, Killed In Accident, To Kansas City

A coroner's inquest was conducted Thursday morning at the B. F. Parker home in La Monte into the death of William T. R. Remmert, 29, who was killed in an automobile accident one-half mile east of the La Monte intersection of Highway 50. A jury which heard the evidence returned a verdict "the deceased came to his death from injuries received in an automobile accident between a Plymouth and a Ford automobile."

The jury was composed of C. E. Terry, Bruce Allen, Clark Fisher, G. L. Cook, W. B. Lehmer, and R. E. Hollenbeck. The inquest was conducted by Dr. W. T. Bishop, coroner.

Witnesses in the inquest were: Dr. W. E. Walker, Ray O'Dell, L. H. Wharton, Floyd Rippey, of La Monte, Judge Malcom Scott, James Greer, and Leonard Reavis of R. F. D. La Monte, James Atkinson of Sedalia.

Following the inquest the body of Mr. Remmert was removed to George H. Long mortuary in Kansas City, Kansas.

Mr. Remmert, a salesman for the Rath Packing Co., was en route to Sedalia from Warrensburg when his car and a Ford car driven by John Kowalewski, a real estate agent of Versailles, who was seriously injured, collided on the blacktop pavement. Both automobiles were demolished in the crash.

The dead man is survived by his widow, Mrs. Fern E. Remmert of the home, a daughter, Rita, and a son, Roger, both of the family home, 3557 Genesee street, Kansas City. His parents Mr. and Mrs. Herman Remmert of Keytesville, Mo., and a brother James of Kansas City.

He formerly resided in Keytesville moving to Kansas City about twelve years ago.

Funeral services will be conducted at 9 o'clock Saturday Morning at the Guardian Angel church, 4242 Mercier street, Kansas City.

## Score Injured In Bus Upset

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 21.—(P)—Twenty persons were injured, two seriously, early today when a Jacksonville Trailways bus overturned in North St. Louis after the driver swerved to avoid collision with an automobile.

William H. Robinson, 26, Askeley, Ill., driver of the bus, told officers he lost control after avoiding the oncoming vehicle. The motorist continued on without stopping.

The injured passengers were taken to city hospital.

Two most seriously injured, hospital attendants said, were Mrs. Laura Eddie, 61, fracture of the pelvis, and Leonard Store, possible skull fracture. Both live in St. Louis. The other injured persons suffered abrasions and contusions.

The bus, with 31 passengers, was en route to St. Louis from Peoria, Ill.

## Legislation To Take Plants Over Planned

### Endeavor To Put Stop To Strikes In Defense Projects

WASHINGTON, Nov. 21.—(P)—Undersecretary of War Patterson waged a senate judiciary subcommittee today to approve legislation giving the government authority to take over strike-bound defense industries, contending it would be a sensible and rational way of dealing with an evil with which we are now faced."

Patterson testified on a bill by Senator Connally (D-Tex) to provide such authority.

Before Patterson took the stand, Connally, chairman of the subcommittee, observed that "labor as well as all of the rest of the nation ought to be willing to cooperate in advancing the national interests."

There seemed to be a number of fronts in the war, he declared, the Russian front, the African front, the Japanese front, the European front and "the John L. Lewis front."

"It is my firm belief," Connally said, "that the great mass of laboring men throughout the country, whether they belong to unions or not, do not favor strikes in national defense industries."

Patterson testified that Connally's bill would be in "furtherance of the national defense program and consequently of the public interest."

Its enactment, he said, would enable the government to resume the flow of vitally needed defense articles where production had been stopped by labor disputes.

### Asserts It's Fair

"It is fair, it is practicable," he said.

Patterson added that the army had taken over two plants under the President's constitutional authority as commander in chief of the armed forces, and the navy had taken one.

"This legislation," Patterson said, "gives legislative sanction to such procedure and is valuable in that it governs the details of that procedure."

Senator Hatch (D-NM) told Patterson that he agreed with his observations and asked him whether he thought an amendment should be added to withhold social security, relief or other government benefits from defense strikers.

Patterson replied that he had given no thought to that subject and could express no opinion on it.

Under questioning by Senator Austin (R-Vt.) Patterson said that production had increased after the army had taken over the Air Associates plant at Bendix, N. J. He said the army hoped to move out shortly and return the plant to private management.

Austin asked whether there had been any government "coercion" either in this case, or in the instance of the North American Aviation Company, plant, taken over by the army in June and later turned back to private management.

Replying that there was not, Patterson said that employers and employees cooperated alike with the government.

When Austin asked why additional legislation was needed, since the government already had acted in two strikes, the undersecretary of war said there now was no specific statute covering such cases. Moreover, he said, the Connally measure would give the government a "guide" for its future actions.

### Condition of John Kowalewski Unchanged

The condition of John Kowalewski, of Versailles, injured in an automobile accident near La Monte, Wednesday, is about the same today, it was said at the Bothwell hospital, where he is a patient.

William T. R. Remmert, of Waterloo, Iowa, was killed in the car collision.

## Tanks, Planes And Men Of British In Drive For Tobruk

### Murray Again Heads The CIO

DETROIT, Nov. 21.—(P)—Philip Murray of Pittsburgh today was re-elected to his second term as president of the Congress of Industrial Organizations. The CIO national convention had greeted his nomination with an enthusiastic demonstration that lasted 34 minutes.

## Addresses At Meeting Held At The Shops

### Ernest Goldsmith And Dr. Harry S. May The Speakers

Business Men's Day meeting was held at the local Missouri Pacific Shop during the noon hour today. F. G. Rose, Chief Booster, introduced the speakers who were Ernest Goldsmith, and Dr. Harry May.

Mr. Goldsmith, representing the Independent Retail Grocers of Sedalia, spoke briefly remarking that the grocers of Sedalia should be customers of the railroad and that the Independent Retail Grocers of Sedalia as an organization have requested their jobbers, wholesalers and manufacturers to ship by rail the merchandise they purchase from them, realizing they can prosper only by patronizing the railroad and thereby affording employment to the men in Sedalia's largest industry, the Missouri Pacific Shop and enabling its employees to in turn patronize the Retail Grocers of Sedalia.

Mr. Goldsmith said that the wives of the shop employees have a right to question their grocer as to how his merchandise is shipped into Sedalia, as this will let them know who the customers of the railroad are. Mr. Goldsmith also spoke with reference to advancing prices of foodstuffs and quoted figures from the United States Department of Labor showing the increased costs of food since 1930, mentioning that there are three principal factors at work which are gradually forcing up the price of food and they are Government spending, higher cost of production and greatly increased farm prices.

Dr. May gave a very timely address on Thanksgiving mentioning that this is the time of harvest when the free people of the

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## Two Soldiers Die Due To Accident

FORT LEONARD WOOD, Mo., Nov. 21.—(P)—An automobile collision near Lebanon last night resulted in the death of two soldiers and two civilians and brought to 23 the number of army men killed on the highways in the Fort Wood area this year.

Sergeant Robert C. Haines, 23, of Stockton, Mo., died at the post hospital five hours after the accident and Pvt. William D. Doty, 25, of Mansfield, O., was killed instantly.

The civilian dead were Russell Pennington, 30, Springfield, Mo., and Maurice Drubeck, about 42, of Chicago.

The head-on crash between cars driven by Pennington and Drubeck occurred on highway 66, six miles west of Lebanon. The soldiers were riding with Pennington. With Drubeck was his wife, Mrs. Pearl Drubeck, who escaped uninjured.

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This presumably referred to the key town of Kalinin, 95 miles northwest of Moscow.

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## More Widespread Use Of Small Coins Keeps Mint Busy

PHILADELPHIA Nov. 21.—(P)—The mint has a mystery. Superintendent Edwin H. Dressell wants to know what happens to all the half dollars, quarters, dimes, nickels and pennies produced by the world's largest coin factory.

The bulk of them never turn up for re-smelting.

"For example," he said today, "in the year ending July, 1941 we sent out \$33,000,000 worth of sub-silver, halves, quarters and dimes, and \$17,000,000 worth of the minor coins, nickels and pennies."

"Do you know what we had returned—\$3,000,000 worth of the sub-silver and \$225,000 worth of the minor?"

It may be, said Dressell, that people who "are now earning good salaries are carrying more coins around with them."

Another answer, he went on, could be the more widespread use of vending and slot machines, for operators of the devices have to keep sizeable amounts for change making.

Then, too, "thousands of the smaller coins are lost every year and never found."

During Dressell's six-year tenure, the mint has produced 4,305,000,000 coins, or 32.6 per cent of the plant's total output since it was established 149 years ago.

He says that while an increasingly prosperous period is the major reason for the growing demand for coins, the mechanical age also figures in the picture.

"Nowadays," Dressell explained, "one may purchase anything through the use of coin machines. You have penny vending machines, soft drinks, cigarettes, food machines, juke boxes and yes—your one-armed bandits, the slot machines."

Business is getting better all the time. In fact, alterations now are going on which will almost double its present capacity of nearly five millions coins a year.

Thought For Today

We are all sinful. Therefore whatever we blame in another we shall find in our own bosoms.—Seneca.

## Big Battle Is Near With Axis In North Africa

By the Associated Press

Britain's armored legions, already within 10 miles of long-besieged Tobruk after an 80-mile advance in 36 hours, today were reported seeking out the "spinal column" of axis strength in North Africa for a showdown battle of tanks, planes and men.

"The main battle has not yet been joined," a British spokesman said tersely.

"All we have is news of movements and a certain amount of fighting but nothing on a large scale yet."

Cairo military headquarters said armored British spearheads were knifing into axis siege lines around Tobruk while other columns by-passed the stronghold on the south.

It was indicated that at least part of the axis forces which have ringed Tobruk for more than six months, constantly shelling and bombing the tiny British garrison, were now caught between fires.

Military observers said Gen. Erwin Rommel's German corps was the chief opposition in the struggle on the Libyan desert sands and that the British were maneuvering to engage the corps in a decisive battle.

Prime Minister Winston Churchill had said yesterday that the outcome might be decided "in a few weeks," but apparently the Germans were cautious about accepting the challenge.

### Nazi Force Withdraws

A bulletin from British military headquarters said British tanks sighted a German tank force 30 miles west of Fort Capuzzo, near the Egyptian-Libyan frontier, but that the Nazi force "withdrew before it could be brought to battle."

The communique said an unspecified number of Italian tanks and 150 Fascist prisoners were taken in a clash at Bir El Gobi, a desert caravan point.

By contrast, Premier Mussolini's high command asserted that Italian and German mechanized columns "firmly sustained" new British attacks in the four-day-old Libyan offensive and "passed to the counterattack and repelled enemy armored formations, destroying numerous tanks and capturing prisoners."

Meanwhile, the German radio asserted that strong British reinforcements were steadily arriving at Sierra Leone, on the African west coast, south of the French port of Dakar.

The broadcast said six British warships were in the Sierra Leone port of Freetown, discharging bombers and ground personnel.

Truth or propaganda, this claim might easily serve the Germans as a pretext for moving troops into French West Africa to "defend" Dakar, a highly strategic port, which, in German hands, could provide a base for raids on Britain's "lifeline" to her dominions overseas.

Dakar is also important as a jumping off point to South America.

### Bloody Fight Near Moscow

On the Russo-German war front the Soviet radio reported that "bloody fighting is now in progress" in three sectors along Moscow's 200-mile defense arc and that the Red armies had beaten off a violent new offensive launched by the Germans Tuesday night.

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### The Weather

Increasing cloudiness this afternoon and tonight; occasional light rain south; warmer tonight; Saturday, occasional rain except changing to snow in northwest; considerably colder.

### Lake of Ozarks Stage

.1 foot below full reservoir.

### Sunrise and Sunset

Sunrise 7:07 a. m.; Sunset 4:59 p. m.

### Phases Of The Moon

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destroyed many tanks, trucks, motorcycles and guns," the Soviet account continued.

German losses in men and machines were described as "tremendous sacrifices," with the Nazis hurling tens of thousands of troops into the flaming battle lines in an attempt to break through Russian defenses.

In the Volokolamsk sector alone, 65 miles northwest of Moscow, the Germans were said to have sent eight divisions — about 120,000 men — into action, but the Russians declared that Red army troops "launched a violent counter-attack which the Germans could not withstand and they retreated westward, evacuating many villages."

In the Moshalsk sector, 57 miles west of Moscow, the Russians admitted that the invaders, striking simultaneously in several places, had driven a wedge into Soviet lines.

"Fierce fighting is now in progress here (Moshalsk). Several villages change hands continuously," the radio said.

Russian front-line dispatches said that the Germans were also striking with savage fury in the Tula sector, 100 miles south of Moscow, and that bloody losses "failed to dampen the enemy's ardor and he continues to strike forward."

A bulletin from Adolf Hitler's field headquarters gave no hint that this was a new all-out smash to take Moscow — as seemed apparent from Soviet reports — merely noting that "further progress" had been made by axis armies on the central front and in the Donets river basin in the Ukraine.

On the North African front, the Nazi high command declared that axis counter-attacks against the British offensive were "progressing" and that German bombers "routed concentrations of British tanks and lorries" on the Egyptian-Libyan frontier.

Details of the conflict were meager, but the British announced officially that they had already shot one mechanized column 80 miles into axis territory to capture Rezegh, only 10 miles from Tobruk's outer fortifications, and it was reported that Gen. Rommel's German corps was in immediate danger of encirclement.

Tobruk has been under siege since April 11.

Destruction of all axis forces in North Africa was announced by Prime Minister Churchill yesterday as the cardinal British aim and the British evidently hoped to score a decisive blow quickly.

Before Rostov, the northern gateway to the Caucasus, the Russians said fierce fighting was taking a heavy toll of Nazi manpower. A Soviet information bureau announcement said Russian troops had beaten off a violent German attack supported by 200 tanks somewhere on the southwestern front, killing more than 1,000 Germans.

The Red navy also blazed into action and the government announced that a 5,000-ton German tanker and three German transports totalling 1,900 tons were sunk in the Barents sea, apparently en route to reinforce axis units in the far north. The Russians also listed a 9,000-ton tanker as sunk in the Black sea.

As the extraordinary session of the Japanese diet closed in Tokyo, having ratified the government's program of new military expenditures and new taxes, a new controversy was reported developing over Japan's expansion in French Indo-China.

France was said to have protested to Tokyo that the Japanese were overstepping the agreements which gave them the right to bases in France's Asian colony.

According to French informants, for one thing, the 350 political and economic experts in the retinue of Kenkichi Yoshizawa, Japan's new ambassador to Indo-China, virtually were sufficient to administer a government there.

Advices from the colony indicated, however, that there still was not sufficient Japanese strength in the colony for any large-scale operations against either China or Thailand.

Destroy 134 Nazi Tanks

CAIRO, Egypt, Nov. 21.—(AP)—It was officially announced to-night that 134 German tanks had been destroyed in two big battles on the Libyan desert.

A communique said the Germans lost 70 tanks and 33 armored cars and several hundred prisoners in a battle yesterday in the vicinity of Rezegh.

Other tanks were reported destroyed in a clash between a British formation and a German concentration which advanced southward from the Bardia-Gambut area.

The communique added that other British columns had "made deep penetration in a number of directions all threatening the enemy's main lines of communication."

Expects Tobruk's Fall

LONDON, Nov. 21.—(AP)—Admiral Sir Dudley Pound, told an audience tonight, at Bath that "just before I came to this meeting I was told it was expected Tobruk would be relieved almost immediately."

Destroy Italian Tanks

By Edward Kennedy WITH THE EIGHTH BRITISH ARMY IN LIBYA, Nov. 20.—(De-

layed)—(AP)—Forty-five Italian tanks were destroyed in one engagement alone today when a column of the British armored force in Cirenaica ran into them at Bir El Guba some 30 miles south of Tobruk, British sources said.

Another column which moved northward after crossing the Libyan frontier at Fort Maddalena encountered 60 German tanks turned and fled, they added.

American made tanks were playing an important part in the operations, but it was still impossible to determine exactly how they were standing up to desert combat. U. S. observers are with them.

A famous Scottish regiment engaged the Germans in the Salum and Halfaya pass area while the British and Indian troops were encircling an Italian infantry concentration at Sidi Omar 25 miles to the south.

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people, associates he has known from childhood, as well as with those holding prominent positions in the world, who sought his companionship and friendship.

Dr. Yancey was associated with the cultural, civic and business progress of Sedalia, and while his ability and position made him one of the most prominent and outstanding citizens, he was one of the most retiring and humble.

Outdoors Lover

He loved music and his influence and finances did much to further this in Sedalia. He enjoyed the outdoor life, and two country homes, one in Cooper county, and one in Benton county, often found him there, entertaining friends, or alone hunting, fishing, or participating in some farm work.

He was particularly fond of dogs and had several fine ones. He belonged to the Drake Hunting and Fishing Club, the Nian-gua Fishing Club, and was often a member of a hunting or fishing group.

Dr. Yancey's influence was felt particularly among the young people. He listened to their problems, he encouraged and helped them, and was never too busy to give them time to go over their plans and advise them. His life had been an example, one many liked to follow and the inspiration he furnished will be remembered by more than he would ever have realized.

In civic affairs Dr. Yancey was a leader. He encouraged the worthwhile things, artist concerts, building, improvements, sound financial establishments, and his judgment was far reaching. He was a charter member of the Sedalia Country Club, a trustee in the Heard Memorial Club House, a director in the Sedalia Bank and Trust Company, and a leader in the business and social circles. He was an entertaining conversationalist, a charming and able toastmaster at a banquet or dinner, and more than a year ago was honored by the Sedalia Lodge of Elks at a social affair, in observance of his fiftieth anniversary as a member.

Dr. Yancey was the last surviving charter member of Sedalia lodge No. 125, B. P. O. Elks which was organized here in 1889.

Dr. Yancey was a member of the Masonic lodge, of the thirty-third degree, and belonged at Ararat Shrine, Kansas City.

Wed In 1902

In 1902 Dr. Yancey was married to Miss Beulah Harris, in Sedalia. Mrs. Yancey is closely associated with the music life of Sedalia and the state of Missouri, and her husband was always interested in those affairs which were of interest and a pleasure to her.

The funeral service will be held at the family home, at 2:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon, Rev. A. W. Kenedoff, pastor of the First Christian church to officiate.

Mrs. H. C. Johnson, Mrs. Percy J. Metcalfe, Miss Marian Snell and Mrs. C. D. Demand will sing, "Leading Kindly Light," "Abide With Me," and "On The Resurrection Morning." Miss Mabel De Witt will be accompanist.

Members of B. P. O. Elks lodge will meet at 2:00 o'clock at the Elks Home and attend the service in a body.

Friends who will serve as pallbearers are, Dr. C. B. Trader, Dr. B. E. Broadbush, C. R. Bothwell, Wm. R. Courtney, Donald S. Lamm and Henry Gunn, the last named of Otterville.

Interment will be in Crown Hill cemetery.

Attend Funeral Of Sam Jordan

Four Pettis countians attended the funeral services for Sam M. Jordan, first farm agent in Pettis county, which were held Tuesday afternoon at the Parker chapel in Columbia.

L. M. Monsees, of Smithton, first president of the Pettis county farm bureau who served in that capacity while Mr. Jordan was agent, was an honorary pallbearer.

The others from here who attended were J. U. Morris, present county agent, Ralph Dow, president of the Pettis county farm bureau, and Arthur Kahn.

Mr. Jordan, who had pioneered in Farm Bureau and agriculture extension work, died Sunday at his home in Columbia. He was 80 years old.

Threat To Turn Over Auto By Strike Pickets

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got to Palmer, pickets rushed out furiously.

"News man," I called. "Turn it over," the pickets began shouting as they gathered around my car. "Pull him out."

One door was opened, they looked in and demanded: "You got any photographers? We won't have them around and we don't want you either."

The leader of the pickets suggested I turn around and go back which I did under his supervision. Just before getting back to Ed-eborn again, I was stopped by an automobile.

The driver warned: "I wouldn't try to go through. Three have been shot already. Hell's breaking loose. Well — if you're going, douse your lights. They set up a target."

I drove back and cut my lights to parking. It was too dark to see much. I heard more shouts and then cut off the parking lights, too. Only I turned the switch the wrong way and the light flashed on the pickets for an instant.

There were about 200 there, huddled about their cars, others scurrying around at the side of the road.

Suddenly guns blazed from two of the three hills overlooking the road, which runs through the bottom of a little valley.

Bullets whistled above but by then I was concentrating on getting out under cover of darkness. I almost ran into a truck while I was trying to turn around, then got over the hill and back to Uniontown.

Slightly Hurt In Car Accident

Miss Mary Ellen Merrill, 1525 South Harrison, former secretary of Washington school, suffered minor injuries about 7:30 o'clock Wednesday night when a 1931 Ford car which she was driving west on Broadway ran into the rear of a parked truck owned by Archie Lane, 1020 East Broadway. Miss Merrill resigned from Washington school yesterday to accept a bookkeeping position with the Botz Printing company, and was going home when the accident occurred. She stated she saw a car coming east on Broadway, and could not pass around the truck without sidestepping. The truck was parked in front of a residence next door to Lane's home.

Two front teeth were broken by the impact, and two stitches were taken in a knee laceration suffered by Miss Merrill.

She was treated at the Bothwell hospital, where she was taken by Elmer Bratten and Clarence Nicholson, police officers.

She returned to her home.

Bothwell Hospital Notes

Mrs. John Ross, Smithton, Miss Nellie Keithley, 1410 South Warren and Roland Snively, 423 East Walnut, were admitted for treatment.

Swayback Hogs

The Chinese consider the belly the most valuable part of a hog, so they purposely breed swayback hogs with correspondingly large bellies.

Silver Coinage

The first United States mint to control coinage of silver was erected in Philadelphia. Prior to that time, silver had been coined freely.

Democrat-Capital Class ads get results, 10 words, 1 week, 80c Phone 1000.

Done Up Browne



This forlorn figure is George E. Browne, one-time labor racketeer de luxe, whose specialty was shaking down the movie industry. The resigned president of the International Alliance of Theatrical Stage Employees is pictured entering federal building in New York to receive an eight-year prison sentence.

Ten Shot In Clash At Mines

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pages caused a steady dwindling of the nation's soft coal supplies, a senate sub-committee started spade work on anti-strike legislation.

The increasing gravity of the soft coal situation, which held a potential threat to the operations of railroads and diverse other industries, was calculated to speed the judiciary subcommittee's consideration of the measure sponsored by Senator Connally (D-Tex).

Moreover, there were overnight reports that troops at Camp Forrest, Tenn., momentarily expected to start moving in on one section of Pennsylvania's coal fields. However, the war department here disclaimed all knowledge of any orders that would send army units to the idle pit heads.

One defense spokesman said categorically that the government "doesn't want to use troops" in the strike, but he stressed that it "will not give in."

As the capital saw it, the situation today was this:

All but a few of the captive mines has ceased production in obedience to the strike call issued at the start of the week by the CIO United Mine Workers when they failed to win their demand for a union shop in the pits.

Predict Full Shutdown

The accompanying wave of sympathy strikes promised to continue unabated in the commercial mines, where a UMW union shop prevails. In Pennsylvania — one of the five states affected by the captive strike-operators were predicting a complete shutdown of commercial production by nightfall. Additional sympathy walk-outs also were expected in the remaining commercial pits of West Virginia, Alabama, Kentucky and Illinois.

The captive mines, so called because they are owned and operated by the steel companies, supply only the steel industry, but the output of the commercial collieries is for the open market and furnishes the fuel for much railroad operation and many manufacturing plants. In contrast with the 54,000 employed in the captive mines, the commercial miners number upwards of 330,000.

The legislation which the senate subcommittee was convened to consider would empower the government to take over industries vital to defense whenever production was threatened by a strike or labor disturbance or other cause.

Connally's bill also would freeze the status of closed or open shops in plants thus seized, prohibit the union jurisdictional disputes and provide for the establishment of a wage adjustment board.

As the Connally bill hearings opened, capitol hill heard talk of another measure which would authorize federal operation of the coal mines and for the use of injunctions against any labor leaders or pickets who tried to interfere with production.

Defense officials hinted last night that President Roosevelt might give congress a go-ahead signal for action on such a measure — perhaps next week.

Bill Signed For Defense Roads

WASHINGTON, Nov. 21.—(AP)—President Roosevelt disclosed today that he had signed a bill providing funds for construction of defense highways but that he had objected to the inclusion of money for roads not urgently needed for defense.

Mr. Roosevelt told a press conference he had discussed the matter in a letter to the chairman of the senate and house roads committees, Senator McKellar (D-Tenn) and Representative Cartwright (O-Okla).

The only reason he signed the measure, Mr. Roosevelt told reporters, was to get the money for defense roads. He said the bill offered a place where a saving might have been made during this time of emergency, but that this was not done, and millions of dollars were put in the bill for non defense road construction.

Asked whether the supply priorities and allocations board might be able to hold up construction of non-defense highways, the President said that nearly all the money for this purpose was on an obligatory basis and had to be allocated.

A reporter remarked that the SPAB still might hold up materials, and the chief executive halted that as quite a suggestion and told a secretary to make a note of it.

Queries If Duke Had Permission To Visit U. S.

LONDON, Nov. 21.—(AP)—Alexander Sloan, laborite member of parliament, wants to know whether the Duke of Windsor had the British government's consent for his visit to the United States.

Sloan announced today he would ask Prime Minister Churchill his question in the house of commons.

Marriage Licenses Issued

Henry Wiederhold, Bellewood, Ill., and Helen Elizabeth Sullivan, Sedalia.

Clyde L. Conner and Betty El-dridge, both of Sedalia.

Wayne G. McAfee, Garnett, Kas., and Virginia McAtee Driskell, Sedalia.

'Duchess' Pays Penalty In The Gas Chamber

Ruler of a Killer Gang Is Executed At San Quentin

SAN QUENTIN, Calif., Nov. 21.—(P)—"The Duchess," a haggard, grim faced woman who ruled a gang of killers and robbers, died today in the state's gas chamber.

She was Evileta Juanita Spinelli, 52, the first woman to be executed by the law in California.

The woman was half carried into the death cell by two guards.

Her lips moved in prayer as she stumbled into the room.

There was an electric light just outside the gas chamber upon which her eyes were fixed constantly.

The woman who directed the killing of a gang member she feared was about to tell police about a holdup murder was dead within 10 minutes and 14½ seconds after the gas was turned on.

She was ghastly pale and calm. Last night as the death hour drew near, she had burst into tantrums. She tore a handful of hair from her head, and screamed.

The great vein in her neck throbbed as the gas rose in the chamber. Her head tossed back. When it was over she looked like an elderly woman, asleep in an old arm chair.

The execution was delayed almost 30 minutes as several petitions were filed in her behalf in San Francisco courts. As quickly as they were filed they were denied, but Warden Clinton Duffy delayed the death minute by minute as calls came from each successive court.

The Duchess, for so she was called by the mob of young hoodlums, hauled artists and killers she ruled knew that such an effort was being made.

In her death cell last night, prison matrons told her that Sally Stanford, a San Francisco night life figure, was trying for her release on a writ of habeas corpus, arguing that she could not legally be executed because, after her first reprieve June 20, her execution date had not been set by the court in which she was convicted of murder.

Grateful For Plea

The 52-year-old Duchess, mother of three, was aware how slim was this plea. But the condemned woman was grateful.

Once before Juanita Spinelli had been close to death—in June, the night before the first of two reprieves Gov. Culbert L. Olson granted so that he might look at greater length into the circumstances of her case.

She had seemed calm then, and confident. "I wasn't worried," she laughed when word of the reprieve reached her.

This time there was little spirit in her, save once when she stirred to speak a curse against those who would put her to death.

"My blood will burn holes in their bodies," she said. "Before six months have passed they will be punished."

The Duchess was convicted of directing the murder of Robert Sherrard, young, spineless member of her gang who they feared would tell police of previous escapades.

Sherrard, only 19, was drugged with knockout drops before being thrown into the Sacramento river in April, 1940.

Protest Voiced From The CIO

DETROIT, Nov. 21.—(AP)—The Congress of Industrial Organizations, in a resolution adopted by its annual convention today, called upon President "to direct that the training of selectees and other service men for strike-breaking be immediately stopped."

"It has been widely reported," the resolution asserted, "that the United States army has been giving training in strike-breaking practice and calls upon the President men in training camps."

"Such training is contrary to the intent and letter of the selective service act and a breach of faith with labor. This convention wholeheartedly denounces such a practice and calls upon the President, as commander in chief of the army, to direct that it be immediately stopped."

Young German Flying Ace Killed

NEW YORK, Nov. 21.—(AP)—The German radio announced today that Capt. Baron Franz Von Werra, young German ace, who escaped from a British prison camp in Canada and later jumped a deportation appearance bond in the United States, had been killed in action at the head of his pursuit squadron.

Von Werra, who was 27, and then a sub lieutenant, escaped from a Canadian prison train in the Laurentian region last January 23, hitchhiked to St. Lawrence river and rowed across to the vicinity of Odgensburg, N. Y., where he was captured by U. S. authorities for illegal entry.

While deportation proceedings were under way Von Werra jumped the \$5,000 bail given by the German consulate and went to South America returning to Germany by plane last spring.

Addresses At Meeting Held At The Shops

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United States take occasion to thank God for their blessings.

"In this hour my thoughts go back to Europe," he said "I see millions of men and women, children, old and young, rich and poor, journeying, migrating from one country to another, homeless, without rights, defenseless. Looking at the tragedy of these millions I cannot help but think of their lives and our lives. They lived once in freedom, enjoyed the rights of all freedom loving people: Freedom of assembly, free speech, press and religion and now they have all lost it.

"Was there ever a time in our history when we had greater occasion to be thankful? Take a look at the rest of the world. We Americans are today indeed the happiest and most fortunate people on earth, and if anyone among us doesn't feel gratitude in his heart he is not fit to call himself an American.

"It is true" he continued, "we still enjoy Freedom, we can work, have the opportunity of collective bargaining, we don't starve, are not homeless, don't have concentration camps, we don't have to fight an invader yet, and bombs don't destroy our homes, but more encouraging than these blessings is our determination to sacrifice and to defend our freedom, our ways of life, whatever the costs may be. We have known good and bad times, prosperity and depression, peace and war, but we never extinguished in our hearts the torch of freedom which is and has always been a beacon of hope to our free people the world over.

"A People who believe in this great faith with an almost religious fervor, such a nation cannot die and will not die. Laborers and industrialists, professionals, lawyers, doctors, clerks and craftsmen, they are all today in one front—ready to defend their faith, realizing this is our greatest blessing and for that—above all—we should praise our God on this Thanksgiving.

"With this thought in our mind, deeply rooted in our hearts we are ready to meet the greatest task history has set before us, we are ready to follow the command of our leaders and President, pledging our loyalty and support to them as members of this mightiest nation on earth and we pledge in this grave hour to keep this light of freedom burning as a holy flame—worthy of our forefathers, worthy of our traditions, worthy of our children who will follow in our footsteps in the years to come.

Freedom will be ours eternally, if you and I want to preserve it," Dr. May concluded. G. T. Callender, Supt. shops, closed the meeting and thanked the speakers for their timely words and invited them to again be present at the next Business Mens Day meeting. Mr. Callender also extended an invitation to all business men of Sedalia to attend these meetings.

will be accompanist.

Plan Bills On Auto Use Tax

WASHINGTON, Nov. 21.—(AP)—Tentative treasury plans for collection of the new \$5 a year federal automobile use tax called today for the mailing of bills to an estimated 35,000,000 automobile owners by a commercial publishing concern.

Although no final signatures have been affixed, the contract has been drawn up to have this work done by R. L. Polk & Co., for about \$400,000.

The concern would compile the list of automobile owners from state registration lists and mail out bills payable either at internal revenue offices or postoffices.

Under the law recently enacted, automobile owners would be required to pay \$2.09 for a sticker good from February 1 until July 1 of next year. Then a sticker would be required at a cost of \$5 for the following twelve months.

Appointment Is Given Frank T. Armstrong

Frank T. Armstrong has been appointed by Dan M. Nee, state administrator for the defense savings staff, a member of the Defense Savings Staff Speakers committee. Robert L. "Bob" Hill of Columbia, is chairman of this committee.

Flue Burns Out

The fire companies were called to the home of Mrs. O. W. McAninch, 1750 South Grand avenue at 7:55 o'clock this morning, where a flue was burning out. No damage resulted.

Degree Action Filed

A divorce petition has been filed in the circuit court by Thomas M. Sugg against Mary Margaret Sugg, to whom, according to the petition, he was married in Arkansas in 1938. They have two children.

Mrs. Sugg has a maintenance suit against Mr. Sugg pending in the court.

A. M. Harlan represents the plaintiff in the suit filed today.

Killed by Felled Tree

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., Nov. 21.—(P)—Clint Starbuck, 50, of Marionville, died in a hospital here of a broken back suffered when a felled tree rolling down a hillside near his home struck him.

Obituaries

Mrs. Ruby E. Blandin

Mrs. Ruby E. Blandin, wife of Charles Blandin, died in St. Louis where the family resides, Wednesday. She formerly lived in Sedalia.

Mrs. Blandin leaves her husband, a son, Newell Blandin and two brothers, J. G. and G. G. Sterling. A son, Walker Blandin is deceased.

Funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon, at the Craig Mortuary, 4468 Washington boulevard. Interment will be in Sunset Burial Park.

W. J. Holtzen

W. J. Holtzen, formerly of Sedalia, died at 1:45 o'clock this morning at his home in Smithton, after a week's illness.

Mr. Holtzen was born in Mora, December 11, 1882, and at the age of fifteen went to Cole Camp, where he had worked. After a few years there he came to Sedalia, and spent the remainder of his life here and in Smithton.

In 1918 he engaged in general merchandise business in Smithton remaining six years. For the past six years he had been employed at the Smithton Creamery.

Mr. Holtzen was married September 30, 1907, to Miss Clara Krueger, of Sedalia, who survives him also one daughter, Mrs. Marvin Goodwin, rural route Sedalia, and three brothers, Ernest Holtzen, Sedalia, Fred and Albert Holtzen, Independence, and one sister, Mrs. Louis Fajin, Rich Hill.

Mr. Holtzen was a member of the Masonic lodge, of the Royal Neighbors of America, and of the Methodist church.

Funeral services will be held at the Methodist church in Smithton at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon, the Rev. E. J. Weiss officiating. Mrs. Weiss will have charge of the music.

Burial will be in the Smithton cemetery.

T. S. Payne

T. S. Payne, well known Pettis county farmer, died at his home, north of Sedalia Wednesday, at 7:45 o'clock in the evening. While he had been in ill health for some time, he was seriously ill only one day.

Mr. Payne was born in Pettis county September 23, 1870, a son of the late R. Hayden Payne and Elizabeth Payne. He had spent his entire life here. His wife, Mrs. Anna Payne, passed away September 27, 1937.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. D. C. Rhine, Boonville and Mrs. P. H. Bennett, Sedalia, six brothers, Golden M. Payne, Lester F. Payne, Ben H. Payne, Allen Payne, Enoch Payne, Lewis Payne, and one sister, Mrs. Rupert H. Montgomery, all of Pettis County. He also leaves thirteen grandchildren and seventeen great grandchildren. One brother, Oliver H. Payne and one sister, Mrs. J. W. Broyles, are deceased.

The funeral services will be held at the Hopewell Baptist church, of which he had been a member for more than fifty years, at 2:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon, the Rev. Walter P. Arnold, pastor of the East Sedalia Baptist church officiating.

Songs to be sung are "The Old Rugged Cross," "Will The Circle Be Unbroken," and "Jesus Savior Pilot Me."

The following nephews will serve as pall bearers, Harry Broyles, Wesley Broyles, Vance Broyles, Vernon Broyles, Earl Payne, Uel Payne.

Interment will

## Society And Clubs

Mrs. Maurice Griffin, entertained at a pretty party and handkerchief shower at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lon E. Leslie, 1003 East Sixteenth street, Tuesday evening in honor of Miss Helen Sullivan, who will be married soon.

Bridge was the diversion of the evening and players were at four tables. Awards went to Mrs. Ralph Salmon, Mrs. Robert Brown and Miss Sadie Foster.

Miss Sullivan found the colorful handkerchiefs in a pink basket tied with a large pink satin bow in the center of the dining table.

Guests were: Miss Sullivan, her mother, Mrs. John L. Sullivan and her two sisters, Misses Catherine and Dorothy Sullivan, Mrs. Wilbur Glaze, Miss Geraldine Teufel, Mrs. Ralph Salmon, Miss Mary Virginia Brown, Mrs. Robert Brown, Mrs. Leo, Coxon, Miss Mildred Sutherland, Mrs. Harold Meeder, Miss Sadie Foster, Mrs. Al Miles, Miss Lillian Hurley, Miss Mary Ross Hoffman, and Miss Christine Jones.

Mrs. Griffin was assisted in serving refreshments by her mother, Mrs. Leslie.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward A. Smith announce the marriage of their daughter, Mary Jeanne, to John E. Walje, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Walje, of Sedalia. The ceremony took place at St. Peter's church, Joplin, the Rev. Father Brody officiating.

Mr. and Mrs. Walje will make their home in Joplin, where the bridegroom is employed.

The Home Progressive club met in regular session Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Neece, 1415 South Ohio avenue.

A delicious dinner to which all contributed was served at the noon hour.

The December meeting will be held on December 14 at the home of the president, Mrs. H. H. Humes and family. There will be a Christmas tree with a gift exchange.

Mr. and Mrs. Lenard Gault entertained at a birthday Sunday at their home.

Those attending were, Mr. and Mrs. Milford Finley, Ruth and Dale Finley, Mrs. J. L. Finley, Mrs. J. L. Rhine, Mrs. Edna Pippin, Mrs. Levi Cook and children, Mrs. Ada Landers, Mrs. Maggie Conner and daughter, Norinne, Mrs. Minnie Marsh, Mr. and Mrs. Lee May, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Lowry, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Well and daughter, Dara Lea, Mrs. Anna Barrow, Mrs. Lawson McCurdy and Mary Frances, Will Hieronymus, George Stober, John Wilson, Mrs. Elva Mabree and son, from Golden City.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Wigton celebrated their golden wedding anniversary at their home, 400 East Twentieth street, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wigton, the latter the former Miss Maggie Baker, were married at California, November 18, 1891. They have spent most of their married

life in Sedalia where Mr. Wigton works as a carpenter.

They have two sons, Edgar Wigton, of Kansas City, and Virgil Wigton, of this city, and one grandson, Melvin Wigton, who were present at the anniversary dinner.

Many relatives and friends were with them on this day to congratulate them and wish them many more happy years together. The dining table was centered with an angel food cake.

Mr. and Mrs. Wigton received many lovely gifts, and all spent the afternoon in conversation and in taking pictures.

Those attending the dinner, to

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Clorox Bleach Qt. 17¢	Brazil Nuts 1-lb. pkg. 19¢	Broken Mix 1-lb. pkg. 12¢
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Miracle Whip Qt. 36¢	Raisins Sunmaid Seeded or Seedless pkg. 10¢	Candy Corn 1-lb. pkg. 15¢
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M. H. Shelby and wife to Joseph E. Streby and Della L. Streby, WD property at southeast corner Seventh street and Wagner avenue—\$400.00.

E. L. Calvert and wife to Charles E. Salmons, WD property on west side of Brown avenue between Sixteenth and Seventeenth streets—\$1.00 and other consideration.

C. R. Bothwell, sheriff, to J. I. Riley and Minnie L. Riley, sheriff's deed, property on north side Fourth street between Harrison and Grand avenue—\$750.00.

John B. Harris et al to Henry R. Harris, QCD property on east side of Stewart avenue between Fourteenth and Sixteenth streets—\$1.00 and exchange of property.

Henry R. Harris et al to Nina Harris, QCD property on west side of Stewart avenue between Twelfth and Fourteenth streets—\$1.00 and exchange of property.

Henry R. Harris, et al to John B. Harris, QCD property on east side of Lamine avenue between Eleventh and Thirteenth streets—\$1.00 and exchange of property.

Henry R. Harris et al to Maurice Harris, QCD property on north side of Fifth street between Grand and Quincy avenue—\$1.00 and exchange of property.

George R. Morris et al to James Betchel and Pearl Betchel, WD property in town of Houstonia—\$400.00.

H. A. Friedebach and wife to J. E. Gunder and Ida L. Gunder, WR 15 acres of land, more or less, in Elk Fork Township—\$1.00 and other consideration.

Emmett E. Bagby et al to James R. Williams, WD property in Green Ridge, Mo.—\$1.00 and other consideration.

C. R. Bothwell, sheriff to George L. Rissler, sheriff's deed, property on east side of Prospect avenue between Third and Wilderson streets—\$845.00.

J. B. Greer, county collector, to Ward Lacy and Goldie Lacy, collector's deed 10.29 acres of land, more or less, in Washington Township—\$23.80.

Union Savings Bank to Nellie Phillips, WD four lots on north side Twenty-sixth street between Washington and Lafayette avenue—\$300.00.

Daisy Lee Payne et al to Charles L. Rages and Gertrude Rages WD property in Hughesville, Mo.—\$1.00 and other consideration.

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Forrest A. Shull and wife to C. A. Arnold and Sue E. Arnold, WD tract of land in La Monte Township—\$1.00 and other consideration.

A. R. Bohon and wife to Elvin Gordon and Ben Gordon, WD property on east side of Limit avenue south of Twenty-second street—\$1.00 and exchange of property.

Martha Belle Griffith to Paul E. Dent and Elaine Dent, WD tract on south side of highway No. 50, west of State Fair boulevard—\$1.00 and other consideration.

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in Flat Creek Township—\$1.00 and other consideration.

Yetta R. Ruskin to Margaret Shields, WD property on west side of Dal-Whi-Mo Court—\$1.00 and other consideration.

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C. R. Bothwell, sheriff to Bertha A. Thompson, Haysler A. Poague and W. E. Owen, sheriff's deed tract of land in Green Ridge Township—\$900.00.

### Program Before Jefferson PTA

The Jefferson School Parent Teacher Association met at the school Wednesday with Mrs. Dorsey Walters presiding.

The program for the meeting consisted of musical numbers by students of Miss Maudalene Nelson. "My Shadow" was sung by Catherine Hopper; the piano solo "Minuet in G" and also "Pixie's Goodnight Song" were played by Joyce Kell; tonette solos "Old Black Joe" and "My Old Kentucky Home" were played by Marcella Jones; "Thanksgiving Song" and "Thanksgiving Prayer" were sung by Mary Louise Higgins, Wanda Trout, Dorothy Ransdell, Ruth Ann Hagerman, Juanita Vaught, Elmer Hopper, Harold McBain, Edwin Bryant, Billy Murray and Ernest Gehlken.

Robert Morris gave a reading "Pip-pip-pip-pip-pop." The play "Wanted, A Wife," a comedy in one act, directed by William Finley was presented with the following characters:

Jason Doskins, Doyle Ward, Cecilia, Billie Wells; Elizabeth, Lucella Smith; Elmira Ann, Jacqueline Pierce; Mrs. Weepstrong, Dorothy Gehlken; Asenath Washington, Betty Englund; Nan Hanks, Ava June Smith; children belonging to Mrs. Weepstrong, Laura Ann Odle, Stanley York, Sonny Rabbourne and Rose Alyce Summers.

Following the program a short business meeting was held. Minutes of the last meeting were read by Mrs. Roe and the treasurer's report was read by Miss Patterson. A sum of money was allowed for Christmas decorations and for Jefferson school's proportionate share of the expenses for the dinner that was sponsored by the local council at the American Legion convention, the profits of which are to go to the Mutual Aid Center. The next meeting is to be December 18th in the evening.

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## Worst Over In Battle Of Atlantic

LONDON, Nov. 21.—(AP)—A British convoy commander said today he was "confident that the worst has passed in the so-called battle of the Atlantic."

The commander, Rear Admiral F. Berges Watson, said that "the days of the unprotected convoy are past. They are escorted from one side of the ditch to the other."

He said British hunting craft were becoming more numerous every day and their commanders had become "most cunning."

Despite aircraft, Watson pointed

out, the seas remain vast spaces and for the submarines hunting them the convoys are still "like the proverbial needle in the haystack."

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By R. O. BERG



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MASSASOIT AND HIS  
ENTIRE TRIBE JOINED THE  
51 PERSONS OF THE  
PLYMOUTH COLONY IN  
A CELEBRATION WHICH  
LASTED AT LEAST  
THREE DAYS.

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CHARTER MEMBER OF THE  
Y.M.H.A. IN NEW YORK  
CITY WAS SO SUCCESSFUL  
AS AN INTERMEDIARY  
BETWEEN THE CHRISTIANS  
AND MOHAMMEDANS  
WHEN U.S. AMBASSADOR  
TO TURKEY THAT HE WAS  
SENT BACK FOR TWO  
MORE TERMS.

- R. O. BERG -  
Religious News Service

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## 'Sunday School Lesson

Thanksgiving Season Proper Time  
For All To Learn Blessings of Prayer

Text: Matthew 6:5-15; Ephesians  
5:20; 1 Thessalonians 5:16-18  
By William E. Gilroy, D. D.  
Editor of Advance

A lesson prayer and thanksgiving links two things in the Christian life which go together. We cannot be truly thankful except in the spirit of prayer for other-wise our thankfulness may be concerned only with ourselves. Nor can we be prayerful except in the spirit of thanksgiving for our approach to God is unreal and inadequate unless back of all our praying is what Paul expressed in his cry, "Thanks be to God for His unspeakable gift."

All this is emphasized in the Lord's prayer, which is the heart of our lesson. Note that this prayer was not given as a form to be used, although it is fitting that it has become so widely used a form. It expresses the manner in which all our prayer must be made.

Let us note a few things concerning this manner. First, the prayer begins with God and with reverence toward Him. Then, the first petition and the second petition concern the plans and purposes of God, and not some want or desire of our own. The first petition is that God's kingdom may come and the second is the interpretative addition that His will may be done in earth as it is done in heaven.

It is only upon this high plane that the Christian comes to pray for his own needs, and the Christian's prayer is not for wealth or abundance but for daily bread. The next petition links the Christian both with his fellowmen and with God, because as he prays for forgiveness of his own trespasses he asks only that he may be forgiven as he forgives others.

What a remarkable petition that is, and how high it sets the standard for our relationship with our fellowmen! The prayer for deliverance from evil is an expansion of this prayer for forgiveness and the Lord's Prayer ends as it began, with adoration to God and contemplation of His goodness.

Paul admonished the early Christians to pray without ceasing, and it is easy to pray without ceasing this sort of prayer, for it is not expressed in words but it is the constant aspiration of the devout soul.

There is a great deal of bewilderment concerning prayer on the part of many people, and this

is not lessened by much that is written concerning prayer. Yet the nature and practice of prayer are both comparatively simple. Prayer is an instinctive expression of the thoughtful soul in a world like ours. Whether we realize it or not, we cry out constantly and spontaneously when we are in need or in trouble. Even the atheist will cry out to God without realizing that he is doing so, in some experience of great peril or trial.

But true prayer for the Christian is a conscious act. The only thing needed is to see that prayer is a spiritual discipline. It is not a sort of magic by which we get things that an all-wise Father may know would be for our hurt rather than our blessing. It is, rather, a very real way of approaching things of God and making these vital in our characters and daily lives.

## Additional Churches

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SACRED HEART PARISH—Rev. A. Brunswick, C. P. S., pastor. Masses Sunday 6:00, 8:00, 9:15 and 10:30 a. m. Holy hour, Friday evening at 7:30.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST SCIENTIST, Sixth street and Lamine avenue. Sunday school held at 9:30 a. m. for persons under the age of 20. Sunday evening testimonial meeting at 8:00 p. m. The public is invited to enjoy the privileges of the reading room located in the same building, entrance on Sixth street. It is open to the public each afternoon from 2:00 until 4:00, except Sunday and holidays, also after the Wednesday evening meetings. The Bible, the writings of Mary Baker Eddy and all authorized Christian Science literature may be read at this room.  
Lesson: "Soul and Body."

## The Blessings Of America

America has seen changes since Gov. Bradford of Plymouth issued the first Thanksgiving proclamation in 1621.

But the thoughts and emotions once recorded by the quill pen of Bradford, rise in American hearts in 1941, pour spontaneously from our free press, and echo from thousands of American microphones.

Despite impacts from without and tensions within, we Americans know today that God has blessed the United States of America as he has blessed no other land.

And we believing Americans of every faith—Catholic, Jew and Protestant—are proud that this uniquely American season of Thanksgiving is a religious season.

In our churches and our synagogues, we thank God for the blessings of our democratic system. We thank Him that here in America we are free to speak, write, and worship as we choose, and on terms of equality with our fellow-Americans.

Most of all we thank Him that ours is a country in which men of diverse races and creeds may live, work, and learn together in common respect and common responsibility... we thank Him that we may repeat—and mean—the words of His Holy scripture: "Are we not all brothers? Hath not one God created us all?"

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Mrs. J. E. Zey

Mrs. Katie Caroline Inman, age 55 years, died at the family home Friday evening after a lengthy illness. She was bedfast for only two weeks, but had been in failing health for several years. Katie Maloney was born February 22, 1912, to this union there were eight children born. One son died in infancy, the following survive with the husband, Richard and Frederick of the home, also Edna, Ruth and Gertrude at home, Mrs. Wayne Carett of Denver, Colo., and Mrs. Richard Porter of Wentzville, Mo., also one sister and five brothers, Mrs. Clara Albers of Denver, Colo., Larry Maloney of Virginia City, Nevada, Bill and John Maloney of Kanapolis, Kas., Carl Maloney of Norfolk, Virginia and Fred Maloney of Ashland, Mo.

Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at the Evangelical church of which she was a member. Rev. J. E. Bierham, officiated. A sister, Mrs. Emma Russell proceeded her in death only three weeks ago. Burial was in the city cemetery.

Mrs. Elizabeth Reichel, 74 years, died at her home in High Point Sunday after a lingering illness. She was the widow of the late Dr. J. C. Reichel, who died December 12, 1932. Miss Elizabeth James, was born in Cole county, March 7, 1867. She is survived by the following children, Mrs. Lloyd Tising of High Point, and Miss Olive Reichel, of Jefferson City. Mrs. Reichel was a life long member of the Baptist church, also a member of the Royal Neighbor Lodge. Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon at the High Point Baptist church. Rev. T. M. McDonnell, officiated, and burial was in the Woodman cemetery, beside her husband.

J. H. Hays a well known farmer of near here underwent an operation at the Latham Sanitarium Monday. His condition is satisfactory.

John Clayton Coleman who is in the Navy at Norfolk, Virginia, returned to his duties Monday after visiting his mother, Mrs. Minnie Coleman.

John Franklin McKissig of Ft. Bliss, Texas, came Monday to spend a fourteen day furlough, from the Army.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Strahn of Windsor, Conn., arrived Monday to be present at the fiftieth wedding anniversary of Mrs. Strahn's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Peck. Another daughter, Mrs. Robert Fisher and husband and three sons from Halliston, Mass., also came to be present for the occasion.

Roy Chase of St. Louis, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Chase.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Palmer, who have lived here for several years, left Wednesday to make their home in St. Louis.

## Attend Your Church

IMMANUEL EVANGELICAL AND REFORMED, Fourth and Vermont. Oscar J. Rumpf, pastor. Church school at 9:30. Morning worship 10:45. Topic, "I Warned You... Keep the Criminals Because They Pay Taxes." Junior League 7:30.

FIFTH STREET METHODIST. Fifth and Osage streets. H. U. Campbell, D. D. pastor. Church school 9:30. Missionary Sunday with a special program of illustrated cards on "Every Man in His Own Tongue." Morning worship 10:30. Special numbers by the quartet. Sermon by the pastor. Evening service 7:30. Congregational singing with chorus choir. Sermon, "The Witness of the Spirit"—a sermon on the doctrines of the Christian Religion.

CONGREGATIONAL - PRESBYTERIAN - John M. Vander Meulen, minister; Mrs. W. C. Housel, Sunday school superintendent; Miss Mabel DeWitt, organist. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Morning worship 10:45 p. m. At the service next Sunday morning we shall be assisted in our worship with a violin solo by Mrs. J. M. Rodeman. Sermon subject, "The Promises of the New Covenant."

BROADWAY PRESBYTERIAN—Bible school convenes 9:30 a. m. Service of worship at 10:45 a. m. The church choir provides special music each Sunday with Mrs. George V. Sneed at the organ. The subject for Sunday's sermon is "Need Christians Be Afraid?" Text, Romans 8:35-39. The Junior C. E. Group meets at 3:45 p. m., with Ruth Ann Yunker leading the devotions. The Young People's Society meets at 5:30 p. m. Doris Boone will lead Sunday's meeting, and committee chairmen will be elected. Next Wednesday the annual church birthday party, sponsored by the Sunshine committee, will be held in the service building. A covered dish supper will be served at 6:30 p. m., and a miscellaneous program given, including a talk by Senator George H. Miller.

CALVARY BAPTIST—Rev. J. R. Summers, pastor. The pastor being in a revival meeting with the First Baptist church, Wells-ville, Mo., Rev. F. C. Stevenson, student in William Jewell College, and pastor in the Mt. Herman and Walnut Branch communities, will preach morning and evening. His morning subject, "The Good Samaritan." The Odd Fellows will attend this service in a group. His evening theme will be "Revivals." Bible school 9:30 a. m. Training Union 6:15 p. m. Regular business and program meeting of the W. M. U. at the church Tuesday afternoon 2 o'clock. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening 7:30. Choir rehearsal Thursday evening 7:30.

CHURCH OF THE OPEN BIBLE, 701 East Fifth. Rev. G. M. Vriezelaar, pastor. Our church shall be known hereafter as the Church of the Open Bible as we have joined fellowship with that organization. Mid-week services are held every Tuesday 7:45. Prayer meeting and Bible study, Friday 7:45 evangelistic service. Sunday services: 9:45 Sunday school. 11:00 morning worship hour. Sermon by pastor. 6:45 young people's "Over-Comers." 7:45 evangelistic service. Sermon by pastor. Choir and orchestra participating.

GOSPEL TABERNACLE, Twenty-seventh and Washington. Rev. Ervin Kelley, pastor; Eliot Huffman, superintendent. Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Preaching 11:00 a. m. Young people's meeting 6:30. Mrs. Ervin Kelley in charge. Sunday evening evangelistic service. Choir number and special songs. Sermon by pastor. Mid-week services Wednesday and Friday at 7:45 p. m. Daily morning prayer meeting 10 a. m. at parsonage.

her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Schaffner.

Postmaster and Mrs. Leonard Moore, had as their guests Tuesday, Mrs. Moore's brother and two sisters-in-laws, Mr. and Mrs. Til Wilson and Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Wilson, of Kansas City.

Services Held In La Monte City Hall

Religious services are being conducted every Wednesday and Saturday at La Monte city hall. The services are conducted by the Rev. G. M. Vriezelaar, pastor of the Church of the Open Bible. The Sunshine choir rendering the musical program at every service. The program is known as the "Sunshine Hour."

FIRST CHRISTIAN, Seventh and Massachusetts. Rev. A. W. Kokendoffer, pastor; Mrs. H. O. Foraker, organist. Bible school meets at 9:30. C. F. Scotten, superintendent. Morning worship and communion at 10:45. Subject of sermon, "The Age Calls For The Heroic." Special music by the chorus choir. Anthem "Beside Still Waters." Hamblen. Mrs. William Ward will be the guest soloist, singing, "Green Pastures" by Sanderson. The young people meet in the evening at 7 o'clock. Miss Juanita Young is in charge of this service.

TRINITY LUTHERAN, Tenth and Osage. Rev. Paul Luther Miller, pastor. 9 a. m. Matins with sermon by the pastor, "On Being Difficult." Mrs. E. Fingland, pianist. 10 a. m. the church school. A department for each age group. Noel Tweet, superintendent.

FIRST METHODIST, Fourth and Osage. J. F. King, pastor. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Worship service 10:30 a. m. Subject for sermon, "A Great Nation." Epworth League 6:30 p. m. Evening service 7:30. Sermon subject "Being a Witness for Christ."

CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Seventeenth St. and Harrison avenue. Rev. E. S. Brummet, pastor. Sunday school 10:00 a. m. Christian Endeavor 6:30 p. m. Evening service 7:30 p. m. Preyer service Wednesday 7:30 p. m.

## Into Church Of The Open Bible

The congregation of the church located on the corner of Fifth and Hancock, formerly known as the Full Gospel church have joined fellowship with Open Bible Standard churches with headquarters in Des Moines, Iowa.

The Open Bible Standard Churches Inc., was founded by Rev. John R. Richey, years ago. Nearly every state in the union having established churches. There are over 450 licensed and ordained ministers in the organization, many being added yearly. The Open Bible Standard church has school in Des Moines, Iowa, known as Open Bible Institute, another in Oregon. This organization having a great number of missionaries over seas in India, China, South America, Sumatra, etc.

The local church will be known hereafter as the Church of the Open Bible," with the Rev. G. M. Vriezelaar continuing as pastor, who for a number of years has held credentials with the Open Bible Standard Church Inc.

## Mind Your Manners

Test your knowledge of correct social usage by answering the following questions, then checking against the authoritative answers below:

1. If a college student goes home with a friend for Christmas vacation, should he buy gifts for members of the friend's family?
2. Should the family see that there are presents under the tree for the guest?
3. Is it all right to refuse an invitation to a Christmas day party with the explanation that Christmas at your house is traditionally a day to be spent at the home?
4. If you have been in the habit of giving a small Christmas gift to a friend and feel that you cannot afford anything this year, should you write the friend saying "Let's not exchange gifts this year?"
5. Should one apologize for the smallness of his gift?

What would you do if—

You would like to send a Christmas gift to a friend who has done you a favor, but do not want him to feel he must send you a gift—

(a) Send the gift so it doesn't reach him before Christmas Eve or Christmas Day?

(b) Send the gift well in advance of Christmas and write and ask him not to feel he must send you something?

Answers

1. Yes, or else buy one gift, such as candy, which the whole family can enjoy.
2. Yes.
3. Yes.
4. No. Don't use the business-like term "exchange gifts" under any circumstances. Just write the friend a Christmas letter, and do not make any mention of a gift.
5. No. Better "What Would You Do?" solution—(a).

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Hitler comes at an especially bad time for the British—which undoubtedly is why the Nazis put the screws on Vichy so vigorously. Under these circumstances the Nazi squeeze on Turkey can be expected to tighten almost momentarily.

In fact, the more the Nazi drive in Russia bogs down with weather, the more likely is Hitler to take the easier, warmer, short cut through Turkey toward the oil fields of the Caucasus—and also toward the British oil fields in Mosul and the Euphrates Valley.

For months the Nazis have been bringing small boats down to the Aegean via the Balkan railroads and the Danube, and are reported almost ready for landing party attacks on coastal points in the Middle East.

Preparing to meet this, Gen. Wavell has been sending a constant stream of reinforcements from India, most of them to Iran, Iraq and Palestine. The British say they are in fairly good shape—though still woefully weak in tanks.

Faced with this crisis, the Turks, as usual, continue to be the enigma of Europe. Diplomatic betting is they will bow to Hitler.

**Neutrality Statements**  
Personal grudges and partisan politics played a big role in the close House vote on the neutrality revision bill, but there also were some sterling examples of courage.

Isolationist pressure groups stopped at nothing in their last-minute efforts to defeat the bill—including even threats of physical violence. One congressman who can vouch for this is able young John Dingell of Michigan, a member of the top-ranking Ways and Means Committee, who received a hand-printed postcard from an anonymous sender, reading:

"McKinley was shot in 1901. The same retribution will come to you and to the present White House occupant if both of you continue the course you have taken on foreign policy. Let this be a warning to you."

Dingell turned the threat over to the FBI, but didn't waver on the rollcall. He and Representative John Lesinski were the only Michigan members who voted "aye."

Later, Lingell told an isolationist colleague: "I would have voted for that bill today if I knew it meant defeat for re-election tomorrow."

Note—Other House members who underwent terrific isolationist pressure, but stood their ground, were Representative John Cochran of Missouri, James Barnes of Illinois, Joseph Casey of Massachusetts, Bertrand Gearhart and Jerry Voorhis of California, Jack Houston of Kansas and William Schulte of Indiana.

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## So They Say

My feeling was one of envy that people have eggs and tomatoes to throw about. England, these are very scarce.—Lord Halifax, British ambassador, after Detroit women welcomed him with eggs and vegetables.

With the consent and enthusiasm of the British people, the democratic country of Great Britain, with a free press and free Parliament, has achieved a totalitarianism not far short of Germany.—A. Beverly Baxter, member of Parliament.

The role Roosevelt covets is not that of war leader but that of peacemaker. I believe he believes himself destined to be the maker of a democratic peace.—Anne O'Hare McCormick, the New York Times.

Three months ago I was a business man who believed that business could co-operate with government. Today I believe that government can co-operate with business.—Floyd B. Odum, director of contract distribution, OPM.

I know so little, really, about some of my acquaintances that if one of them committed murder, I wouldn't know whether to be surprised or not.—Dr. James H. S. Bossard, University of Pennsylvania sociologist.

It is the country's productivity in terms of modern machines of warfare that will decide the outcome of what is going on.—K. T. Keller, president, Chrysler Corporation

One point to remember is that when things get tough, a little ingenuity is very helpful.—John L. Rogers, chairman motor transport division, OMP.

Sooner or later all groups must realize that all, in the long run, will be better off if they will get together on a program of building a greater America, instead of each group working selfishly in its own particular interest.—Edward A. O'Neal, president, American Farm Bureau.

## Looking Backward

• forty years ago •

W. W. Hoffman, George Gallie, W. E. Taylor and "Tate" Hoffman were initiated into Schley camp, Modern Woodmen of America at the regular meeting last night. Two applications for membership were received.

E. E. Johnston, Sedalia clothier, appeared before the Sedalia Federation of Labor last night to speak in favor of the present early closing hour in force in local stores. According to an agreement with the Retail Clerks union, all stores will remain open after 6:30 o'clock during the evenings from December 15 until Christmas.

Max Morris, well known Sedalia second hand goods dealer, has rented the store room vacated by the Silver Moon restaurant at 105 West Main street, and will move into the new building tomorrow from his present location at 106 East Main street.

Josiah Towne, of Minneapolis, manager of the reinstatement department of the Woodmen of the World, will be present at the Sedalia camp No. 16 meeting December 4, it was announced yesterday.

## Just Town Talk

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THE CROWD

WAS ALL Assembled

BUT ONE Member

WHO CAME In

A LITTLE Late

Guests At Siron Home

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Siron and son Charles, on route 3, had as guests Sunday, Mrs. Norman Rayl and children, Dorothy Mae and Richard of Golden City, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Siron and Harold Jr., also Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Steele and children Charles and Carol Ann of Kansas City; Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Siron, Ruth Ann and Kenneth Carl and Miss Dora Dale Siron.

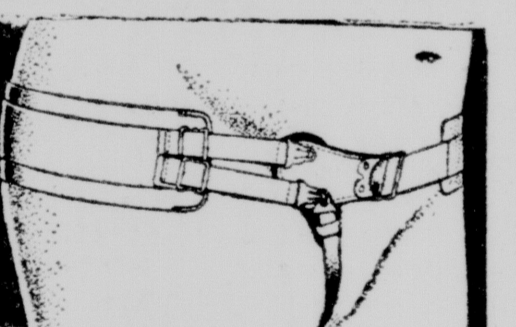
Afternoon callers were Mr. and Mrs. Claude Siron and children Bobby Donnie, Mary C., Gerald and Ralph, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Hall, Alma Jeanne and David of this city.

Purchase A Farm

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Benson of Smithton, who recently sold their farm known as the Chris Bolte farm, have purchased the 75 acre farm from Mr. Walker, which is located on highway 50 between Sedalia and Smithton. Mr. and Mrs. Benson plan to make extensive improvements, making all the buildings modern. They also plan to engage in the Hereford cattle business.

## TRUSS EXPERTS COMING TO SEDALIA

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## Farm News and Features of Interest to . . .

## The Central Missouri Farmer

## Starting Food for Home And Defense Campaign In Pettis County Farming Communities

Greater Production, Better Living And Economy Are Some Purposes Of Drive

A Food for Home and Defense campaign has either been started or will be started shortly in every farm community in Pettis county as a vital part of the National Defense effort.

Such a program is being started in the county, state, and nation with a twofold purpose. Greater production, storage and use of food on the farm will not only ease the demand on commercial food supplies which are such an important item in this period of national emergency but will mean better living, better health, and save money for the farm families engaging in the program.

## To Select Leaders

The program will be conducted by the farm people in each community with a man and woman leader in each neighborhood for the butchering, cutting, curing and canning of meats; and similar leaders for poultry, dairy, and gardens and fruits production and use. Gardens and fruits leaders are combined thus making four men and four women leaders who will be active in each neighborhood.

At a meeting of the County Rural committee recently the general procedure to be followed in the campaign in this county was developed. Community Planning committees are meeting and designating neighborhoods, selecting neighborhood leaders, and planning for the training of these leaders so that they may carry the program to the families in their neighborhoods.

## Voluntary Enrollment

The start of the campaign is a voluntary enrollment of the farm families who are interested, and a survey of present home production and use of foods. In enrolling, each farm family is stating that they will try to have a good diet for the family by producing and consuming the products from:

1. A garden with twenty kinds of vegetables.
2. Five hens for each member

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of the family.

3. Two cows for family use.
4. Livestock to make 150 pounds of meat for each person.
5. Six kinds of fruit.

After each family enrolls they will be given a brief food planning chart by means of which they can see just how often each of the farm produced foods should be used for an adequate diet. This chart will also enable the family to calculate the amount of each of the various foods needed by the family for a year.

After the first enrollment and survey is accomplished, the farm families will be given all available information and assistance possible in carrying out their food plans by their neighborhood and community leaders and the Agricultural Extension Service and other representatives of the United States Department of Agriculture which are directing their efforts toward helping rural people to make this program a success.

## Arrange Meetings

Wherever the rural people need and desire to make more efficient production, storage and use of meats, milk products, poultry products, or fruits and vegetables possible, the neighborhood leaders will either arrange for meetings on the subject or will get the needed information in some other way. The county extension staff and state extension service specialists will spend a large part of their time in helping these farm leaders with this part of the program. Other agencies, such as the Farm Security Administration, will also assist.

A state goal is to enroll 75 per cent of the farm families in the program, and it is hoped that Pettis county will more than reach its share of this goal.

Work on the enrollment and survey has already started in the Maplewood, Longwood, Dresden, Green Ridge, and Smithton communities.

Neighborhood leaders have already been selected in the LaMonte, Quisenberry, Hughesville and Georgetown communities, and the other communities in the county will soon be organized.

## No Feed Day Before Slaughtering

Animals that are to be used for food should be kept off feed about 24 hours before slaughtering on the farm says T. A. Ewing of the University of Missouri College of Agriculture.

When animals are kept off feed and given free access to water 24 hours before slaughtering, the blood becomes diluted and the system is flushed of its food materials.

It is also much easier to handle the carcass in dressing.

## Will Present 4-H Pins On Saturday

Awards To Be Made In Assembly Room Of Court House

Saturday afternoon November 22 at 1:30 o'clock in the Pettis county court house assembly room 4-H club members will be presented pins and given special recognition.

Mrs. W. P. Tucker chairman of the county 4-H club council will preside over the meeting which will be opened by the Smelser 4-H club repeating the creed in unison. This will be followed by group singing.

The Oak Grove 4-H club will then present a playlet "Follow the Gleam." Preceding the presentation of special awards by J. U. Morris, county agent, will be a short inspirational speech by R. W. Dow, president of the Pettis County Farm Bureau.

Mrs. P. S. Read, Home and Community chairman of the Farm Bureau, will present the pins to all 4-H club members who have completed their work and have not received their pins at their community achievement days. The afternoon will close with the entire group repeating the National 4-H club pledge.

This is the second year the Pettis County Farm Bureau has sponsored the presentation of achievement pins to all 4-H club members who are eligible and who do not receive their pins through other sources.

Home Economic clubs which have contributed to this county fund are Liberty, Quisenberry, Blackwater Progressive, Van Natia, Smithton and South Abell.

## Should Eat Meat Once Each Day

It is desirable to have meat once a day and often twice, especially for very active persons. The general suggestion for Missouri farm families is to have 150 pounds of meat per person per year.

The specific amount of meat needed per person will vary with age, sex and activity. A very active man might well have 3½ pounds of lean meat a week, or around 200 pounds a year—a woman, 2½ pounds a week or 130 pounds a year—a boy in his teens, 150 pounds a year—a girl between 12 and 20 years, 125 pounds. Younger children need from about 20 pounds for the child 10 to 12 years old.

A pound of fat a week is about the right amount for the average normal adult. This includes lard, bacon, cream and butter. The average person in Missouri uses about twice as much cream and butter as he does other fat. On this basis an adult would use about one-third pound of lard and bacon a week, or about 15 pounds a year.

In figuring out the meat budget one should remember that hogs dress out 75 per cent of their live weight—that is, a 200-pound hog yields 150 pounds. Beef and lamb dress out about 50 per cent. Chickens dress out about 70 to 75 per cent.

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## DHIA Records Show October Increase

The October records of the Pettis county Dairy Herd Improvement association showed a big increase over the production in September with the 457 cows in the Association averaging 26.9 lbs of butterfat and 551 lbs of milk as compared to 23.1 lbs. butterfat and 501 lbs of milk in September.

The association had 15 cows that produced above 50 pounds of butterfat each and 42 cows that had records between 40 and 50 lbs of butterfat. 23 cows were above 1000 lbs. in milk production.

## 34.4 Herd Record

The highest herd record was 34.4 lbs of butterfat and 967 lbs. of milk made by the 22 cow Holstein herd belonging to C. G. Ficken, Route 1, Sedalia. Highest individual cow was a grade Holstein owned by Dow Bros. Dairy, Sedalia, with 62.5 lbs. of fat and 1277 lbs. of milk.

This is the time of the year when dairymen are making winter management preparations so that milk production will not be lowered greatly by winter conditions. Dry, well ventilated, and well lighted quarters that are bedded down abundantly are the first essential.

Experiment station tests have indicated that a dairy cow requires warmer shelter than fattening steers because they are not protected by fat. Although the stable temperature may preferably not be lower than 45 to 50 degrees, good production can be secured from cows housed even in partially open sheds, provided they are protected from drafts, and are liberally fed, well bedded, and kept dry.

Lowered water consumption during the winter period will cut milk production drastically as milk cows require from 100 to 300 pounds of water daily. Tank heaters to take the chill off the water or else pumping just enough water at one time to supply immediate needs will keep water consumption up. Windbreaks protecting the cows from winter winds while drinking are another help.

The five highest producing herds were:

Owner	Breed	No. Cows	Dry	Av. Milk	Av. Fat
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C. G. Ficken, Central Holstein		22	1	967	34.4
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Mo. State Teacher Col. Jersey & Guernsey		12	1	562	33.0
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Dow Brothers, Holstein & Jersey		18	0	655	31.4
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Harris & Short, Guernsey & Jersey		29	4	552	30.6
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Bill McKnight, Jersey		18	1	573	30.4
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Ten highest producing cows:

Owner	Breed	Lbs. Milk	Lbs. Fat
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Dow Bros. Holstein		1277	62.5
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Olen Monsees Holstein		1389	61.1
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Petty and Turner Holstein		1720	60.2
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Petty and Turner Holstein		1755	56.2
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Henry Alt, Milking Short		1218	53.6
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C. M. S. T. C. Guernsey		930	53.0
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E. C. Stevens, Jersey		936	52.4
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C. M. S. T. C. Guernsey		1038	52.4
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C. G. Ficken, Holstein		1429	51.5
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Pound Dairy, Holstein		1066	51.2
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Pound Dairy, ½ Jer. ½ Hol.		1113	51.2
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Report On Seed Contributions Sent By Farm Women To England

A point of interest to many Pettis county people was brought out by Mrs. Alfred Watt, guest speaker at the annual Missouri farm bureau banquet in Hannibal last Wednesday night. Mrs. Watt reported that 10,000 pounds of seeds were sent to England by American contributions; \$375 worth of these were from contributions sponsored by the Home and Community committee of the Missouri Farm Bureau, part of which Pettis county people contributed.

These seeds were distributed through the Women's Institutes of England, which are the same as our Home Economics Extension clubs. Mrs. Watt showed a picture of Queen Mary receiving a basket of vegetables grown from those seed.

She said the peas, carrots, onions and beans grown from those seeds filled all their cans this fall.

This plan was instituted by Mrs. Watt, who was the founder of the English Women's Institutes and who at present resides in the United States. After she received a letter in 1940 from Lady Tweedsmuir stating there would be a shortage of vegetable seeds in England in 1941.

She presented her idea to the American Farm Bureau Federation meeting in Baltimore on December 3, 1940, where it met approval. Permission was granted from the United States government for the export of these seeds. Garden clubs and Home Demonstration councils joined with the Home and Farm Bureaus and the seeds were sent and now are rendering their food elements to the British people.

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## Crop Acreage Payment Rates Given

Encourage More Conservation On Individual Farms

Rates of payment which Pettis county farmers can earn by planting within special crop acreage allotments under the 1942 Agricultural Conservation Program have been announced by B. C. Claycomb, chairman of the County Triple A committee.

Claycomb explained that the payment rates are directed at the encouragement of greater conservation achievements on individual farms and at helping farmers attain record production of foods needed under the 1942 Farm Defense Program.

Somewhat Lower

The 1942 payment rates, except for wheat, are somewhat lower than in 1941. Due to a substantial decrease in the 1942 wheat acreage allotments, the wheat payment rate will be 2.5 cents per bushel higher than in 1941. Payment rates for crops produced in Missouri, based on the normal yield of allotted acreages, are shown below, together with the 1941 rates:

Corn (commercial area) per bushel, 1941 rate 9 cents, 1942 rate, 8 cents.

Wheat, per bushel, 1941 rate, 8 cents, 1942 rate, 10.5 cents.

As in former years, farmers may earn two types of payments under the 1942 Triple A Program: One for planting within special crop allotments, and the other for carrying out approved soil-building practices.

Subject To Revision

Payments under the Agricultural Conservation program are subject to a 10 percent revision up or down, depending on the number of farmers participating in the 1942 program.

County Chairman Claycomb urges farmers to plan their farming operations for next year in line with national defense needs. He pointed out that the conservation program is aimed at increasing the production of specific feed crops needed for the production of needed foods for defense.

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Serial Story . . .

# Lady By Request

. . . by Helen R. Woodward

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THE STORY. It did not matter that pretty, red-haired Diana Tucker had let her anger flare, told lawyer Richard Thorpe to go to the devil, stormed from his office—except what must have happened. Stephen Curt, writer and commentator conferring with Thorpe at the time, have thought of her outburst? Anyway, it was Diana's last day with the firm. Having resisted Thorpe's overtures and wounded his vanity, she had already been given notice, now wondered if she could find other work in the exciting city, or if she would have to return to her farm home.

## CHAPTER II

DIANA walked quickly from the room, breathing rapidly. Her pulses were pounding, her head reeling madly. She had seen the consternation on Thorpe's face change to blazing rage, and was conscious of a wild, delighted feeling of retaliation justly meted out.

She had not seen Stephen Curt's twinkling eyes, nor heard his chuckle of delighted laughter, but when she had slammed the door, Curt said dryly:

"Looks like the little lady's one up on you, Richard, my boy!"

Thorpe was striding angrily about, trying to control his fury. There were reasons why he did not want to display his ruthlessness before Stephen. His wife, Evalyn, thought a great deal of Curt and it would not do at all to have his ill temper known outside the office. For many reasons he wanted Evalyn to continue to believe that he was all sweetness and light.

Already he was sorry for his outburst, but that confounded Tucker girl had always irritated him beyond belief. Who in hell did she think she was, talking to him like that? And Curt, with his keen insight, seemed to be enjoying the situation out of all proportion to its importance. Thorpe knew that Curt had never really liked him.

"The girl's impossible. We've fired her. This is her last day," he muttered angrily.

"I should think so, if you're in the habit of yelling at the poor child like that," Curt grinned slyly. "Give the kid credit. She seemed to have heard of me, and when you mentioned my name, she was a little impressed. You messed up my moment of tribute."

Thorpe smiled unwillingly. "I'm sorry as the devil this happened, Steve. But the girl has been getting on my nerves for weeks."

She's probably refused your advances, Stephen was thinking. She's probably taken no trouble to conceal the fact that she thinks you're a heel. She wouldn't bow down at your shrine, thank God! So you're getting rid of her. Well—it'll be somebody else's gain.

Anyone could tell that there was a rare girl. Stephen had known it somehow even when he glimpsed her in the outer office. It was her spirit, her fire. Curt liked women whose temperature could be persuaded above a luke-warm level. He'd like to see that girl gay and laughing. She'd be like a child when she was happy.

He couldn't remember when anyone, man or woman, had so interested him. Not Stephen Curt, the commentator. Many people drew his avid attention. But Stephen Curt, the man. Once more he chuckled inwardly.

"WAIT a minute. I'll call Miss Montgomery and we'll continue," Thorpe was saying, anxious to restore a semblance of order.

But Stephen Curt was gathering up his papers, stuffing them untidily into his brief case, apparently in a great hurry.

"Sorry—haven't time now. Anyway, you've got all the dope.



Once again inside the warm building, Diana had to wait for an elevator, and when one finally disgorged its passengers into the lobby she found herself face to face with Stephen Curt. He picked her out unerringly and placed his hand on her arm. His blue eyes were friendly.

Fix up the contract and then I'll sign it. Let us know when it's ready. No special hurry, of course."

He took his hat and overcoat, let Thorpe help him into them and was soon out of the private office. But outside, as his blue gaze swept the big room eagerly, he saw only Miss Montgomery, her mouth still open in astonishment at something that must have just happened.

Miss Montgomery had been waiting in the outer office to hand Diana a white envelope.

"Mr. Durbin asked me to give you this," she said, smiling in the manner of a cat that has just swallowed a canary. Miss Montgomery knew quite well that the pretty nest into which she had fallen had been made possible because Diana had not been considered competent in the position. She felt she could afford to be generous and added, "We do hope you will soon be happy in some new location."

"Thank you. And you may go to the devil with the rest of them!" Diana said clearly, snatching the envelope with trembling fingers.

Miss Montgomery stood speechless by the desk, her usually quick wit having completely failed her, and Diana, glancing back at her, laughed aloud. It was a childish gesture, but one destined to relieve somewhat the tension of her taut nerves.

BUT as she waited for the elevator, Diana's face burned with shame at what she had done and especially because Stephen Curt had witnessed her outburst.

By the time she reached the street her exultant hysteria had passed and she began to feel more and more ashamed of herself. Exploding like that! And before Stephen Curt, too! What must he think of her? Perhaps she had better go back and apologize.

Before she reached the corner the conviction had grown on her that that was the thing to do. It

was the thing her parents would have approved—even demanded. But could she do it? Could she go back and stand before Thorpe and Stephen Curt and say, "I'm sorry I was so rude. Please forgive me!"

Could she so humble herself after that sweeping, triumphant exit? The thought left a bitter taste in her mouth, but might such a course not be the better part of prudence? Richard Thorpe might be so pleased to have her stay on as his secretary, or Stephen Curt might suggest a place of employment. It was either find another job or go back to the farm, an admitted failure. Surprisingly, Diana found herself willing to sacrifice a great deal of her pride in order to prevent the latter possibility. She could see the smirk, however kindly, on Bill Jackson's face. Hear the mother's, "Well, I do hope you're satisfied now!"

Finally childhood training and the desire to try a shrewd attempt to prolong her stay in this, to her, fascinating environment, forced her to turn and rapidly retrace her steps. She smiled wryly as she was thinking that her course certainly lay in the choice between two humiliations. She had decided which would be the greater.

Once again inside the warm building, she had to wait a moment for an elevator and when one finally descended and disgorged its passengers into the lobby, she found herself once more face to face with Stephen Curt. He had evidently finished his business with Thorpe and was going home. She hoped he would not recognize her in the crowd, but to her surprise he picked her out unerringly and placed his hand on her arm. His blue eyes, looking straight into her troubled gray ones, were warm and friendly. And there was no escaping whatever it was he had to say to her.

(To Be Continued)

## • This Curious World



"The only reason you object to Jenny's boy friend is because he's a lieutenant, and as a World War private you have to watch yourself or you'll salute!"

## Cranium Crackers

### Shooting At Sea

Shortly after President Roosevelt announced the shooting has started, the first U. S. warship sunk in World War II went down in the Atlantic. Here are some questions about the war at sea for you to shoot at.

1. What was the first U. S. destroyer sunk in World War II? Who was it named for?
2. What two U. S. destroyers were involved in incidents preceding this sinking?
3. How many U. S. destroyers were lost in World War II?
4. Did German submarines ever raid close to U. S. shores in World War I?
5. Where besides the Atlantic Ocean, have U. S. ships been sunk in this war?

Answers on Classified Page

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Fifty-five thousand of the more than 65,000 radio stations licensed by the Federal Communications Commission in the United States are amateur stations.

### Illiteracy Defined

Any person 10 years of age or over who is unable to read or write in any language is an illiterate, according to rulings of the United States Census Bureau.

## Stories in Stamps

### California Restores Chain of Missions

IN tribute to courage and persistence of the Spanish missionaries who brought religion to the Indians of the American southwest, stands a 600-mile-long chain of missions.

Some are crumbling, some are in good repair, but all 37 in upper and lower California are constant reminders of the struggle the missionaries encountered with arid lands and hostile Indians.

One of the oldest of those in upper California is the mission San



Francisco de Asis, pictured on the stamp above issued by Ecuador in 1939 to honor the Golden Gate International Exposition.

The structure, begun in 1782, is on 16th and Dolores avenues in San Francisco and from its location comes its more popular name of Mission Dolores. An earlier

church was founded on the same site in 1776, but was later destroyed.

Under the control of missions the Indians learned to practice agriculture, tanning, weaving, and many other arts of civilization unknown to the natives. They produced wheat, oranges, leather, cloth, soap, some furniture and ironware, and a little wine and olive oil.

The missions were secularized in 1823 and their property was confiscated.

### Costa Rica Has More Teachers Than Soldiers

TUCKED away at the most southern tip of Central America is Costa Rica, a nation which



has more school houses than police stations, more school teachers than soldiers.

The appropriation for education in Costa Rica is the largest per capita in Central America, an item which may well be the determining factor in keeping the number of revolutions to a minimum.

Costa Ricans, in direct contrast to other Central American natives,

are white rather than Indian. They are descendants of the Gallegos, the hardest working and the least fortunate seeking of the Spaniards who settled in the Americas. The stamp above pictures ancient ruins at Ujarros.

Before the war the people leaned heavily on British and German purchases of bananas and coffee. German capital owned 20 per cent of the coffee plantations. When that trade dwindled the Costa Ricans appealed to the United States for aid.

The U. S. responded with imports of half of the coffee crop and the Export-Import Bank loaned the nation more than \$4,000,000 to complete their section of the Pan American highway.

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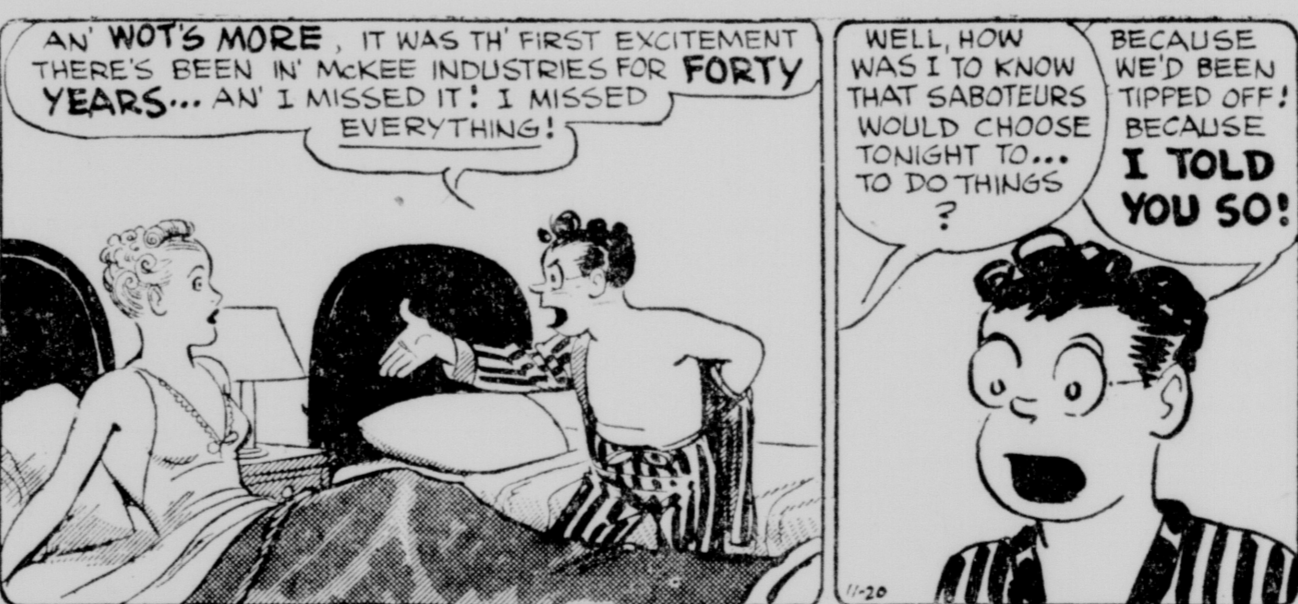
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**Answers to**  
**Cranium Crackers**

**Questions on Comic Page**  
1. First U. S. destroyer sunk in World War II was the Reuben James, named for hero who saved life of Comm. Stephen Decatur off Tripoli in early 1800s.

2. U. S. S. Greer was attacked, but not hit, and U. S. S. Kearny was torpedoed off Iceland in incidents preceding sinking of the Reuben James.

3. One U. S. destroyer, the Jacob Jones, was lost in World War I. It was sunk by U-boats in the English channel in December, 1917 after U. S. had entered the war.

4. Yes. German U-boats crossed the Atlantic in 1918, sinking several vessels, including a U. S. cruiser, the San Diego.

5. The U. S. flagships Steel Seafarer (Red Sea, Sept. 5) and City of Rayville (Pacific, off Australia Nov. 9, 1940), were not sunk in Atlantic.

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No. 20—Leave.....3:20 a. m.  
No. 12—Leave.....9:50 a. m.  
No. 6—Eagle Leave.....2:25 p. m.  
No. 14—Leave.....6:15 p. m.

**West Bound—Main Line**  
No. 9—Leave.....4:30 a. m.  
No. 5—Eagle Leave.....12:01 p. m.  
No. 15—Leave.....7:36 p. m.  
No. 11—Leave.....5:00 p. m.  
No. 19—Leave.....9:35 p. m.

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No. 655—Daily except Sunday Leave.....5:10 a. m.  
No. 656—Daily except Sunday Arrive.....11:40 a. m.

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No. 567—Daily except Sunday Leave.....5:30 a. m.  
No. 658—Daily except Sunday Arrive.....12:30 p. m.

**MISSOURI PACIFIC BUS LINES**  
**East Bound**  
No. 108—Leave.....3:05 p. m. (Stops at Jefferson City)  
No. 110—Leave.....6:20 p. m.  
No. 106—Leave.....11:05 a. m.  
No. 112—Leave.....2:30 a. m.

**West Bound**  
No. 105—Leave.....3:45 a. m.  
No. 103—Leave.....8:35 a. m.  
No. 107—Leave.....1:00 p. m.  
No. '09—Leave.....7:00 p. m.

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**North and East Bound**  
No. 6—Flyer Leaves 11:53 p. m.  
**South and West Bound**  
No. 5—Flyer Leaves 6:35 a. m.

## Cattle and Grain Market

### Chicago Live Stock

**CHICAGO**, Nov. 21.—(AP)—(U. S. Department of Agriculture)—Hogs, 9,000, strong to 25 cents higher than Wednesday's average; full advance on weights under 220 pounds; good and choice 180 to 200 pounds \$10.15 to \$10.40; top \$10.45; 150 to 180 pounds \$10.00 to \$10.25; 300 to 400 pound sows \$10.00 to \$10.25; 400 to 500 pounds \$9.75 to \$10.10.

Cattle 2,500; calves 400; fed steers and yearlings strong; instances 12 to 15 cents higher than pre-holiday trade; light cattle shows most upturn but weighty steers still in broad demand; most offerings flat \$1.00 higher than week earlier; heifers firm to 25 cents higher; runaway market on cows, mostly strong to 25 cents higher; bulls steady; choice vealers as much as 50 cents higher; good grade \$11.50; two loads around 100 pounds call \$12.99 paid for 1,000 pound yearlings; several loads \$12.25 to \$12.55; liberal supply medium weight and weighty steers \$11.25 to \$12.00; with 1,550 pounds \$11.75 and rough but fat 1,525 pound offerings \$10.75; common to medium grades \$9.75 to \$10.50; best fed heifers \$12.35; mixed offerings \$12.50; veal calf cutters cows \$7.00; heavy sausage bulls to \$9.25; choice vealers \$13.00; unsoldly brood cows \$11.00; 140 to 170 pounds \$9.75 to \$10.25; sows 10 to 15 cents lower at \$9.50 to \$10.00.

Sheep 5,000; fed westerns and native lambs active; strong to mostly 10 cents higher; bulk good and choice \$11.65 to \$11.75; few to city butchers \$11.35; others lacking finish \$11.25 to \$11.50; two loads around 90 pounds fall short offerings \$11.00; most yearlings \$9.50 to \$9.85; good and choice slaughter ewes \$5.25 to \$5.75.

### St. Louis Live Stock

**NATIONAL STOCK YARDS**, Ill., Nov. 21.—(AP)—(U. S. Department of Agriculture)—Hogs, 7,000; weights 180 pounds up to 10 cents higher; 150 pounds up to 5 to 10 cents higher; lighter weights 10 to 15 cents higher; sows steady; good and choice 160 to 270 pounds \$10.35 to \$10.45; top \$10.45; 140 to 160 pounds \$9.55 to \$10.40; 100 to 140 pounds \$9.50 to \$9.90; off quality light pigs down to \$8.00; sows \$9.25 to \$10.25.

Cattle 1,500; calves 800; 17 loads beef steers and yearlings offered; good and choice kinds active and strong, spots higher; two loads choice to \$11.35; 1,000 pound yearlings \$11.00; 1,100 pound yearlings \$11.00; 1,200 pound yearlings \$11.00; also for load choice 1,500 pounds; few loads medium and good light steers and yearlings \$9.50 to \$11.35; cows strong, spots higher; bulls scarce but fully steady; most beef cows \$6.50 to \$7.50; canners and cutters \$4.50 to \$6.25; top sausage bulls \$8.75; vealers 75 cents higher; top \$12.25; nominal range slaughter steers \$7.50 to \$12.75; slaughter heifers \$6.75 to \$12.75; stockers and feeders \$6.50 to \$11.00.

Sheep 1,500; no early action.

### Kansas City Live Stock

**KANSAS CITY**, Nov. 21.—(AP)—(U. S. Department of Agriculture)—Hogs 2,500; uneven, open fairly active 5 to 10 cents lower than Wednesday's average; close slow 15 to mostly 25 cents lower; top \$10.40; good to choice 150 to 300 pounds \$10.10 to \$10.25; few 150 to 170 pounds \$9.75 to \$10.25; sows 10 to 15 cents lower at \$9.50 to \$10.00.

Cattle 1,000; calves 300; fed steers, yearlings and fed heifers active; strong to 25 cents higher; other killing classes in limited supply; steady to strong; vealers fully steady; stockers and feeders unchanged; fairly broad week-end clearance; choice yearling heifers \$12.60; choice 653 pound yearlings \$12.50; four loads good 1,157 pound steers \$11.40; medium to good short fed steers \$9.25 to \$10.60; common dogies downward to \$8.50; odd lots butcher cows \$6.25 to \$7.50; good to choice vealers \$11.00 to \$12.50.

Sheep 2,000; killing classes steady; top fed lambs \$11.35; most good to choice natives and fed lots \$11.25; clipped lambs \$10.90; top yearlings \$10.15; others downward to \$9.50; slaughter ewes \$5.50.

### Slight Upturn On The Corn Market

**CHICAGO**, Nov. 21.—(AP)—Post holiday trading in grain futures today was dominated by weakness of soybeans, which fell as much as two cents a bushel at one time, carrying wheat down fractionally.

Wheat closed 3/4 cent lower to 1/4 cent higher compared with Wednesday, Dec. 11 1/4% to 1 1/4%, May \$1.19 1/2% to \$1.19 1/2%, corn unchanged to 1/4 cent higher, Dec. 71c to 74 1/4c, May 80c; oats 1/4 cent off to 1/4 cent up; rye unchanged and soybeans 1/2 to 3/4 cent lower.

### Chicago Grain Table

**CHICAGO**, Nov. 21.—(AP)—  
High Low Close  
WHEAT—  
Dec.....\$1.14 1/4 \$1.14 1/4 \$1.14 1/4  
May.....1.20 1/4 1.19 1/4 1.19 1/4  
July.....1.19 1/4 1.19 1/4 1.19 1/4

CORN—  
Dec......74 1/4 .73 1/4 .74  
May......50 1/4 .50 1/4 .50 1/4  
July......52 1/4 .51 1/4 .51 1/4

OATS—  
Dec......50 1/4 .49 1/4 .49 1/4  
May......53 .52 1/2 .52 1/2  
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### Kansas City Cash Grain

**KANSAS CITY**, Nov. 21.—(AP)—Wheat: 117 cars; 1 cent lower to 1/4 cent higher. No. 2 dark hard \$1.12 1/2 to \$1.16 1/4; No. 3 \$1.14; No. 2 hard \$1.13 to \$1.14 1/4; No. 3, \$1.11 1/4 to \$1.14; No. 2 red \$1.13 1/4; No. 3, \$1.12 1/4 to \$1.13.

Corn: 60 cars, 1/4 cent higher. No. 2 white, nominal 74 1/4 to 74 1/4; No. 3, nominal 74 1/4 to 74 1/4; No. 2 yellow, nominal 74 1/4 to 74 1/4; No. 3, 63 1/4 to 70 1/4; No. 2 mixed, nominal 70 1/4 to 70 1/4.

to 71 1/4; No. 3, nominal 68 1/4 to 69 1/4.  
Oats: 22 cars; unchanged to 1/4 cent higher. No. 2 red 47 1/4; No. 3, nominal 44 1/4 to 47 1/4.  
Milo maize 94c to 95c.  
Kafir, nominal 85c to \$1.00.  
Rye, nominal 64c to 66c.  
Barley 52c to 52 1/4c.

### St. Louis Grain Market

**ST. LOUIS**, Nov. 21.—(AP)—Cash: Wheat: Receipts 23 cars, 4 cars sold, 1/4 cent lower; No. 2 red \$1.18 1/4; No. 3, \$1.17 to \$1.18; No. 2 mixed \$1.17 1/4.

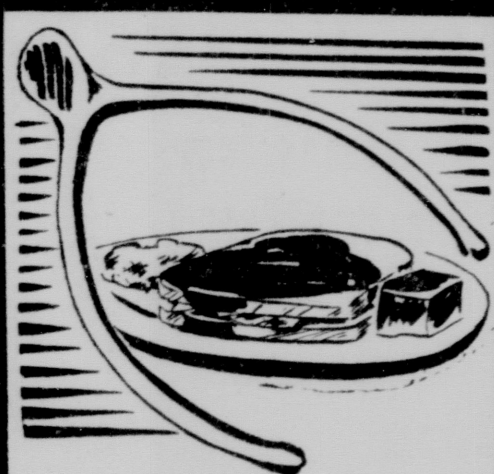
Corn: Receipts 50 cars, 18 cars sold, 1/4 to 3/4 cent higher. No. 3, yellow 68 1/4 to 70c; No. 4, 66 1/4 to 68c; No. 5, 65c.

Oats: Receipts 1 car; no sales; nominally unchanged.

## On Saturday Comes The Main Course For This Week's Football

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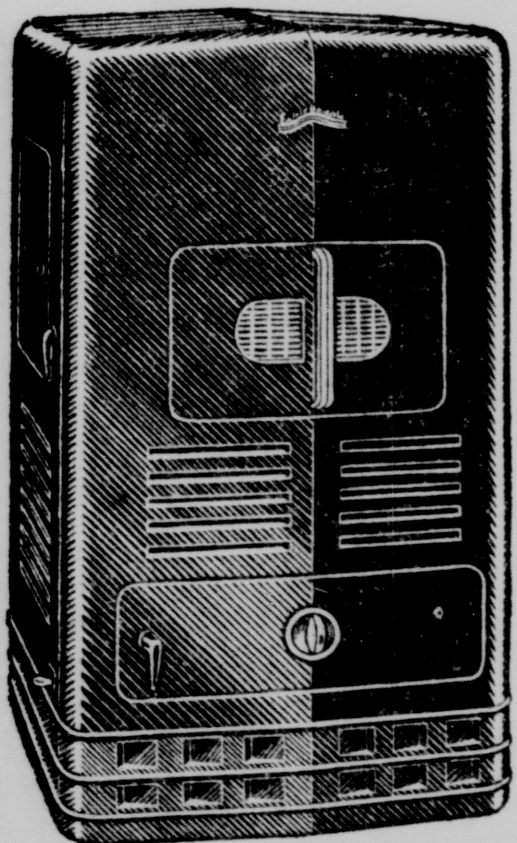
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first of the Thanksgiving holidays, got through the appetizers yesterday but the main course comes tomorrow.

Two individual performances yesterday overshadowed anything presented in the way of team achievements on the slim holiday card for the states which called it Turkey day.

At Chapel Hill, N. C., Bill Dudley slammed the door on a brilliant collegiate career by leading Virginia to a 28-7 victory over North Carolina.

Dudley, backfield ace of the Cavaliers, made his final appearance his best. He scored three touchdowns — two on long runs — passed to the fourth and kicked all four extra points.

When Bill left the game with two minutes to play, his mates rushed off the bench and carried him on their shoulders to the sidelines while 22,000 fans, most of them backing the other team, shook the stadium with their applause.

The other solo stunt was engineered by Wilson (Bud) Schwenk, the passing star from Washington university at St. Louis who pitched his team to a 28-7 triumph over Missouri Mines and himself into football's hall of fame.

Schwenk went into the game needing only three completions to break the national record of 93 successful passes in one season, set in 1933 by Davey O'Brien of Texas Christian.

The husky halfback cocked his right arm 23 times, and 12 tosses hit their mark for a total of 106 yards, setting a new record of 103 completions for a single year. Two of Schwenk's passes went for tallies and he scored the other two touchdowns himself.

Western Reserve knocked Case out of the ranks of the unbeaten and untied teams 26-6, and Rutgers turned in an upset of sorts by stopping Brown 13-7.

Case's defeat reduced the list of all-victorious eleven to 14, with only Minnesota, Texas A. & M., Duke and Duquesne holding that distinction among the so-called major teams.

William and Mary kept pace with Duke in the Southern conference by whipping Richmond 33-3, and Wake Forest put the finishing touch to George Washington's dismal initial year in the league 42-0.

Utah remained on top of the Big Seven by defeating Utah State 33-21, and Denver beat Colorado 27-0.

**Great Conference Race**  
A great 1941 Western conference football race will hit the final wire tomorrow, with interest largely concentrated on the Wisconsin-Minnesota and Michigan-Ohio State battles which will determine whether Minnesota's Golden Gophers take all or just half of the title pennant.

Minnesota's finely balanced aggregation will be out to wind up the season undefeated and untied, thereby running to 17 games a consecutive winning streak begun back in 1939. Victory — and the Gophers will be strong favorites over the Badgers — will bring Minnesota its sixth Big Ten title in eight years and the mythical national championship.

Should Wisconsin's high scoring eleven upset the Bernie Bier-

### Coach Dies At Game



Ralph Conger, football coach at Wentworth Military academy, Lexington, Mo., since 1939, died of a heart attack during the second quarter of the Wentworth and Kemper Thanksgiving football game at Boonville. Conger was the freshman coach at the University of Kansas before going to Wentworth.

man crew the way would be open for Michigan or Ohio State to cut in for a half-share of the championship. Those schools, meeting at Ann Arbor, each have conference records of three wins and one loss against Minnesota's four wins and no defeats.

Northwestern engages Illinois, while Indiana tangles with Purdue. Iowa has a non-conference date with Nebraska of the Big Six.

Duke stakes its perfect record against North Carolina State in the Southern loop and Alabama tries for Southeastern conference honors against Vanderbilt.

Heading the intersectional list is the meeting at South Bend between unbeaten but once-tied Notre Dame and Southern California. Fordham takes on St. Mary's at New York, Auburn and Villanova battle at Philadelphia, Georgia entertains Dartmouth and Oklahoma and Marquette get together on the Sooner's field.

Traditional eastern highlights include meetings of Harvard and Yale, Cornell and Penn, Navy and Princeton, Penn States and Pitt, Colgate and Columbia, Army and West Virginia, Temple and Holy Cross, Lafayette and Lehigh and Boston university and Boston College.

Georgia Tech battles Florida and Tennessee tangles with Kentucky in Southeastern conference games that mean little in the title race.

Texas A. & M. and Texas both rest for next week's important scrap, leaving the Southwest conference stage to tussles between Texas Christian-Rice, and Baylor-Southern Methodist, Arkansas and Mississippi have a non-conference date.

Missouri goes after a grand slam in the Big Six in its annual shindig with Kansas, while Kansas State tackles Iowa State.

On the Pacific Coast, Oregon and Washington clash in a conference game, Santa Clara takes on U. C. L. A., Oregon State faces Montana and Washington State engages Gonzaga.

### Boom Given For The Rose Bowl

KANSAS CITY, Nov. 21—(P)—Sam Barry, University of Southern California football coach, says "a boom has started to get Missouri" into the Rose Bowl.

Pausing here with his squad en route to South Bend, Ind., for a game with Notre Dame, Barry added:

"From all I hear Missouri has a very fine team. We've heard a lot about Steuber, Wade and Lee and after Nebraska's fine showing against Stanford in the bowl, the Pacific Coast seems to like the company of the Middle West teams.

"I don't think there is much chance for either Duke or Duquesne, although unbeaten, to get the invitation. I would say Missouri's biggest rival for the bowl at present are Texas Aggies and Texas."

The major problem on the coast, he continued, remains the selection of the coast representative in the New Year's day game.

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## Tragic Pall On Grid Program Thanksgiving

**Coach Conger Of  
Wentworth Dies In  
Second Quarter**

By the Associated Press  
The unexpected death of Coach Ralph Conger, while his Wentworth team played Kemper Military Academy at Boonville, cast a tragic pall over the Thanksgiving day football program in Missouri.

The 41-year-old coach was stricken in the second quarter of the game. Dr. D. B. Payne, Wentworth team physician, said death was caused by coronary occlusion, a clot in the heart.

At half time players were notified of Coach Conger's death and officials decided to continue the game. Kemper made two scoring thrusts in the last half to win, 14 to 0. Following the game the spectators paid silent tribute for one minute.

At Fayette, townspeople, students and alumni of Central College sent a 500-word telegram to Football Coach C. A. Clingenpeel, who is ill.

It was the first homecoming the veteran coach had missed in 25 years. Central College lost, 7 to 0 in an MCAU conference game which had no bearing on the circuit title.

**Hurts To Victory**  
Football history was made in St. Louis when Bud Schwenk, besides pitching Washington university to a 28 to 7 victory over Missouri Mines, hurled himself right into a national collegiate gridiron record.

The sure armed aerial ace flipped 12 completions out of 23 attempts to give him a total of 103 so far this season — ten more than the old record of 93 made by Davey O'Brien of Texas Christian in 1938.

Springfield Teachers trimmed Baker college, Kansas conference champions, 40 to 0. The Sunflower boys were bottled up completely, gaining only 10 yards on 6 pass completions and 18 net yards from scrimmage against the Bears. Only two other squads had crossed the Baker goal line previous to this game.

Missouri Valley, MCAU titlists, turned back Rockhurst, 12 to 0. The Viking line held firm to thwart Rockhurst scoring ambitions while they, on the other hand, struck through air and over ground for the margin of victory.

Cape Girardeau wound up the season with a 14 to 7 triumph over its across-river rival, Southern Illinois Normal at Carbondale.

Chillicothe Business College and Kansas City (Kan.) battled to a scoreless tie while Joplin Junior College journeyed to Kansas and a 18 to 12 defeat at the hands of Fort Scott Junior College.

BOONVILLE, Mo., Nov. 21—(P)—The loud speaker asked spectators at the Wentworth-Kemper football game to stand in a minute of silent tribute to Capt. Ralph Conger before going home.

That was the first time most of the 2,000 who witnessed Missouri's annual Thanksgiving Military school football classic knew that the 41-year-old Wentworth coach had died on the bench just before the second quarter ended.

Even the players on the field weren't aware of the tragedy until the halftime intermission. Coach Conger had leaned forward to call one of his charges for a warmup before entering the game. Evidently the youth didn't hear him for he started to call again, stopped suddenly and slumped against the player sitting next to him.

Dr. D. B. Payne, Wentworth team physician, said Conger had been suffering from high blood pressure but otherwise seemed in good health.

Officials of the two schools agreed it would have been Conger's wish to continue the game. His team had left the field at the half in a scoreless tie, but in the last half Kemper scored two touchdowns to finish 14 to 0 ahead.

Captain Conger was freshman football coach and head baseball coach at Kansas University before coming to Wentworth.

**Funeral Be Saturday**  
LEXINGTON, Nov. 21—Funeral services for Coach Ralph Conger, who died suddenly during the Wentworth-Kemper football game Thursday at Boonville, will be held at 10:30 o'clock Saturday morning Captain John Lindsay to officiate in the Wentworth chapel.

Six members of the Wentworth team "Bill" Hrudka, "Red" Melton, "Tip" Mester, "Bub" Power, Dale Buis and Stanley McCoy will be pall bearers. It will be a military service.

The body will lie in state from 9:30 to 10:30 o'clock Saturday morning until the funeral hour in the Wentworth gymnasium with a guard of honor.

After the services here the body will be taken to Natoma, Kas., for interment at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon. Three Wentworth faculty members will be pall bearers there: Capt. Vodre Willoughby, Capt. John K. Sylvester and Capt. Kenneth McKenzie. The other three will be from Smith Center, Kas., where he formerly served as coach, they being: "Jess" James, W. E. Diven and Ray Lawrence.

## Smith-Cotton In Tie Game With Kirksville

**Seinor Lineup In  
The Start And Do  
First Scoring**

Smith-Cotton high school Tigers completed the 1941 football season by playing the Kirksville high school to a 7 to 7 tie on the latter's gridiron Thursday afternoon. The Tigers ended up in fourth place in the Central Missouri Conference.

The conference championship is divided honors between the Missouri Military Academy and the Hannibal high school which teams won four games and in their game tied each other. Jefferson City was the third place winner winning three, losing two of their five conference games.

**Tigers Take Lead**  
In the game at Kirksville Thursday, the Tigers were the first to score. Having the wind with them they the Tigers took the ball in the first 5 minutes of play on the Kirksville 40 yard strip. A series of off tackle plays put the pigskin one and a half yards away from the goal and Jimmy Anderson crashed the line for the touchdown. Dewey Stevens place kicked for the extra point.

From then to the second quarter when the teams switched ends of the field they battled along. In the last minutes of the second quarter Kirksville took the ball on the fifty yard strip. A series of line places coupled with successful short passes put the ball down on the fifteen yard line and a pass "flipped" to Wade went for the touchdown. Ewing made a beautiful kick for the conversion of the extra point.

**A Last Half Threat**  
The last half was an exchange of the ball, with the big threat of the game for Smith-Cotton coming in the last two minutes of play. The Tigers had obtained the ball on the fifteen yard line when Kirksville's punt went bad and was blown back to their own fifteen yard line. The Tigers made it to their nine yard line and Anderson tried a flat pass which was easily taken by a Kirksville lineman who took the ball clear back to Smith-Cotton's fifteen yard line before he was stopped. The game came to an end before Kirksville could come through.

(Coach Jimmy Obermiller elected to start the game with a completed Senior lineup with the exception of full back and shoes for that position were filled by a Junior.

It was—Carl Russell, left end, Harold De Jarnett left tackle, Bobbie Bothwell left guard, Charles Wingate center, Bob Boothe, right guard, Bob Green right tackle, J. W. Rissler right end, Backfield, Jimmy Anderson quarterback, Bob Vilmer left halfback, Dewey Stevens right half back, and Virgil Landers full back.

The team will meet next week and elect their honorary co-captains for the 1941 season.

### Grid Standings

KANSAS CITY, Nov. 21—(P)—Final standings of the MCAU football conference:

	W.	L.	T.	Pts.	Op.
Missouri Valley	3	0	0	102	7
William Jewell	3	1	0	53	49
Culver-Stockton	2	2	0	35	66
Central	1	2	0	25	16
Tarkio	0	4	0	26	103

	W.	L.	T.	Pts.	Op.
Missouri Valley	4	2	0	153	40
Culver-Stockton	1	3	0	20	87
Tarkio	0	2	1	12	53
Central	0	3	2	6	27
William Jewell	0	3	0	26	52

### Interstate Finals

KANSAS CITY, Nov. 21—(P)—Final standings of the Interstate Junior College Conference:

	W.	L.	T.	Pts.	Op.
Graceland	5	0	0	106	12
Kemper	4	1	0	93	20
Wentworth	3	2	0	67	53
Chillicothe	1	3	1	12	62
Moberly	1	4	0	12	94
Kansas City	0	4	1	12	83

### Tigers Off To Meet Kansas

COLUMBIA, Mo., Nov. 21—(P)—Coach Don Faurot and his assistants bundled 35 Missouri Tigers and their equipment on a special train this morning for Kansas City and points west. Their ultimate goal will be Memorial Stadium tomorrow where they meet their traditional rivals the Kansas Jayhawks in the final game of their 1941 football campaign.

The team will spend the night in a Kansas City hotel before departing tomorrow morning for the fair of the Jayhawks.

"I'm plenty worried and certainly would settle for a one point

victory right now," Faurot exclaimed, "although our squad is in tip-top shape, anything can happen with the Kansas boys over there."

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## Salesman Dies In Wreck Of Autos Near La Monte

W. T. Remmert Is Killed And Another Injured

John Kowalewski, 51-year-old Versailles real estate agent, was reported resting comfortably at the Bothwell hospital last night after surviving severe injuries in an automobile accident that killed William T. R. Remmert, 31, salesman for the Rath Packing company, Waterloo, Iowa.

The accident occurred one mile east of LaMonte on highway 50 about 10 o'clock yesterday morning.

Kowalewski received compound fracture of the left leg just below the knee, dislocation of the left knee, a severe laceration on the forehead above the left eye, a crushed chest and possible internal injuries. He was given emergency treatment at the scene by Dr. W. E. Walker, and sent to the hospital in the Parker ambulance. He was treated at the hospital by Dr. E. C. Snavely.

### Coroner To Scene

Dr. W. T. Bishop, who was called to the scene conducted an investigation at the wreck and ordered the body of Remmert removed to the Parker Funeral Home in La Monte. Dr. Bishop said he would not decide upon an inquest until after he had talked with Kowalewski.

At the hospital Mr. Kowalewski stated he was driving his 1936 Ford coach west on highway 50 and the car in which Remmert was killed, a 1941 Plymouth coach, was headed toward Sedalia when the accident occurred. He was not certain what happened other than the car seemed to skid in front of him and the two cars crashed.

The Kowalewski car appeared to have crashed into the right side of the Plymouth, and his car then swerved to the right side of the shoulder and the Remmert car coming to a stop just in front of him headed back west.

Both automobiles were practically demolished.

### Summons Ambulance

Eugene Herrick, 608 West Sixth street, was one of the first on the scene of the accident. Herrick said he was at a filling station in Dresden when a salesman drove in and purchased some gasoline. He remarked he had just passed two cars badly wrecked just east of La Monte, but didn't stop as he didn't see anyone around them.

Herrick got into his truck and drove to the scene and found the two men in the cars. He then hurried back to Dresden where he called the Parker ambulance from La Monte and then returned to the accident.

Wilmer Riecke, 1004 West Sixteenth street, was the second to arrive at the scene behind a car from Kansas, whose occupants remained at the scene of the accident for some time and then drove away. James Atkinson, county engineer, was next to arrive with Judge Malcolm Scott following.

Herrick summoned the Parker ambulance and then came to Sedalia.

Remmert's death was the fourth caused by auto crashes within the LaMonte vicinity during the past sixty days.

## Prosecutor Reports To Governor

Vice Districts Here Closed Now, Harned Informs Donnell

"Prostitution and gambling districts in Sedalia have closed," Leo J. Harned, Pettis county prosecuting attorney assured Gov. Forrest C. Donnell in a special conference yesterday afternoon.

The report to the governor came just one week after a delegation from the Ministerial Alliance here had asked Donnell's aid in closing Sedalia's "red light" district, which has flourished for 40 years.

### Cooperation Assured

The governor refused a request of the alliance for special state investigators in the case, asserting that a lack of funds prevented any such action. However, he assured the ministers of the cooperation of his office and said he intended to direct the Sedalia police to "secure the necessary evidence" to clamp down on the district.

Moving rapidly, the police department, in cooperation with county authorities, last week visited gambling and immoral houses in the city, demanded the confiscation of games of chance, and

## Joining In Our Thanksgiving Observance



the closing of the houses of prostitution.

By Saturday night, a night scheduled as a "boom" night for the red light district, practically all houses in the north side district had been vacated.

### Explain Reason

One of the principal driving forces behind the effective drive, the Ministerial Alliance explained yesterday, was the fear that the districts would jeopardize Sedalia's incorporation in the army recreation area for Fort Leonard Wood.

In his interview with the governor, secured by special appointment, Prosecutor Harned told Donnell gambling and vice had disappeared in Sedalia, and, according to a statement from Donnell, "he intends to keep it closed down."

### Air Aid To Russia Will Be Increased

LONDON, Nov. 19.—(AP)—Informed quarters predicted today that increased British-American aid for Russia would grow out of a dinner meeting last night between Prime Minister Churchill and W. Averell Harriman, in charge of expediting U. S. aid to Britain.

Harriman was believed to have outlined the latest United States aid plan to the prime minister for consideration and coordination with the British program.

### Slightly Hurt In Car Accident

Miss Mary Ellen Merrill, 1525 South Harrison, former secretary of Washington school, suffered minor injuries about 7:30 o'clock Wednesday night when a 1931 Ford car which she was driving west on Broadway ran into the rear of a parked truck owned by Archie Lane, 1020 East Broadway.

Miss Merrill resigned from Washington school yesterday to accept a bookkeeping position with the Botz Printing company, and was going home when the accident occurred. She stated she saw a

car coming east on Broadway, and could not pass around the truck without sideswiping. The truck was parked in front of a residence next door to Lane's home.

Two front teeth were broken by the impact, and two stitches were taken in a knee laceration suffered by Miss Merrill.

She was treated at the Bothwell hospital, where she was taken by Elmer Bratten and Clarence Nicholson, police officers.

She returned to her home.

### Talk On Paper To Kiwanis Club

Demands of the United States government for supplies of paper of all kinds as the defense effort grows, and the relation of this demand to civil requirements, was the theme of a talk by Chas. O. Botz before the noon meeting of Sedalia Kiwanis club in Hildebrandt's dining room of the St. Francis hotel yesterday.

The speaker cited figures showing the tremendous requirements of the government, and noted the fact that a shortage of paper impedes for business — printing paper, paper sacks, wrapping paper, etc.

Program Chairman T. H. Yount called upon the Rev. A. W. Kenderfer, pastor of the Christian church, to offer a special prayer appropriate to the Thanksgiving season following which the club members sang the Doxology.

The Rev. Herman N. Jansen and Elmer Sterling were inducted as new members of the club, this ceremony being conducted by the Rev. H. U. Campbell, chairman of the education committee.

The club's annual gifts to "needy" Kiwanians were presented by Mr. Yount to the following members: George H. Scruton, a turkey; C. R. Bothwell, a box of celery, and Guy T. Gallendar, a can of cranberries.

Guests yesterday were A. B. Wade with L. H. Richardson and Neil Vogel, of Nevada, with Ben Robinson.

The average pint bottle of 3.2 beer contains about 250 calories

### Farm Union Calls For Lower Taxes

Set Up Program At Meeting Being Held In Topeka

TOPEKA, Nov. 19.—(AP)—The National Farmers Union adopted today a 1942 program calling for reduced taxes on low-income groups, federal old age pensions to all including the farmer, and cooperation with organized labor on "legislative matters."

Delegates in the closing business session of the 37th annual convention asked that no ceiling be placed on farm commodity prices, but that floors on minimums be established instead. The 1941 tax bill was labeled an "unfair levy upon low-income groups" and a "shock to our farm people."

**Suggest Replacement**  
"The soak-the-poor tax bill must be replaced by personal income taxes based upon parity of living conditions, the elimination of hidden excise taxes upon necessities of life and common man's luxuries, and a heavy-handed policy allowing no loopholes to escape a tax upon all excess corporation profits," the program report stated.

Following an exchange of greetings with the C. I. O. convention in Detroit in a national broadcast last night, the farmers group "re-affirmed our resolution of our 36th annual convention relative to cooperation with organized labor on legislative matters, and again express our deep appreciation for labor's support in congress behind farm legislation, and again offer our fullest support to all groups of organized labor in their fight for legislative justice to wage workers."

**Condemn Scarcity Plan**  
In a section on post-war abundance, the union condemned an economy based on scarcity and favored the planning of an America in which "not only agriculture will be dedicated as it is now to abundant production of the necessities of life, but also industry, business, finance and labor will be required to produce without selfish restraint or restriction."

"We call upon labor, business, and industry to join us in a policy of national unity which will forever do away with the dying scarcity system by building the capacity to provide abundance for all when the conflict of destruction ends," the resolution said.

On the question of the A.A.A. and farm credit, the report asked for extension of the A.A.A. program to include additional commodities, extension of crop insurance to corn and other commodities, and adequate credit with "parity interest rates" to enable farmers to stay on the land and produce for defense.

The delegates lashed at speculation in farm lands, asking the government "to refuse credit to absentee investors now gobbling up choice lands."

### Soviets Halt Lunges In Moscow Area

Nazi Bombers Raid Leningrad And Moscow

By The Associated Press  
Adolf Hitler's high command pictured the German armies as lunging forward once more on the eastern front yesterday, executing "new and successful" attacks, while the Russians declared they had crushed Nazi attempts to pierce Soviet lines north and south of the 200-mile Moscow defense arc.

A Nazi military spokesman said German bombers raked both Moscow and Leningrad during the night and left spreading fires in the Red capital.

A bulletin from the fuhrer's headquarters reported that 10,000 Russian prisoners had been captured and 171 tanks destroyed during the last three days, but it gave no details of the new push.

### Drive Germany Off

Soviet front-line dispatches said two German infantry regiments, supported by tanks and armored cars, had been driven off with bloody losses in repeated attempts to storm across the upper Volga river in the Kalinin sector, 95 miles north of Moscow, and the Red army command gave this general summary of the nearly five-months-old struggle:

"Our troops are beating off the enemy attacks and destroying equipment and annihilating the manpower of the Germans."

On the southern (Ukraine) front, the Russians said Marshal Semeon Timoshenko's forces had recaptured a number of villages and advanced from four to 12 miles—presumably in the fiercely contested battle sector around Rostov-on-Don.

### Inflit Heavy Casualties

Soviet accounts declared that Field Marshal Ewald Von Kleist's southern armies were suffering severe casualties in attempts to make "rapid gains" in the Donets river basin.

In the Crimea campaign, the German high command said that Nazi bombers violently attacked Russia's great Black sea naval base at Sevastopol, blasting docks, munitions dumps and a ship in the harbor, but there was still no indication of a direct land assault against the stronghold.

The British radio said Russian troops in the Kerch sector had been "safely evacuated to the Caucasus, along with their complete equipment and war material."

Officially, Russia has not yet recognized the German claim of the capture of Kerch, but the Moscow radio acknowledged that axis invasion forces estimated at 90,000 troops had cracked Kerch's defenses "at a cost of colossal losses."

Meanwhile, in London, Foreign Secretary Anthony Eden briefly and cryptically disclosed that Britain was taking "military and naval action" against Finland, Rumania and Hungary.

Eden refused to elaborate, however, and informed sources interpreted the statement as referring mainly to British blockade of the countries.

Possibly forecasting a major offensive move, the war office in London announced a shakeup of the imperial general staff in which the trend of the changes was to put younger generals in key positions.

General Sir Alan "Wizard" Brooke, 58, a specialist on military mechanization, gunnery and anti-aircraft defenses, was designated chief of the imperial general staff, to replace General Sir John G. Dill on December 25. General Dill was made a field marshal and given the governorship of Bombay, the latter effective when the term of Sir Roger Lumley expires.

Major General A. E. Nye, at 45 one of the youngest generals Britain has known, will be Gen. Brooke's vice chief of the imperial general staff. Major General Nye has come up from the ranks and was elevated to the rank of general only a little more than a year ago.

### Trap Nazi Divisions

LONDON, Nov. 19.—(AP)—Four German divisions—about 60,000 men—attempting a surprise flank attack on Rostov were trapped in a pocket near Novocherkassk and suffered a heavy defeat, Tass said today in a dispatch from Moscow.

The Russians said thousands of men, 13 tanks, 273 trucks and many guns were lost by the Germans, and half of their tanks were put out of action.

Field Marshal Ewald Von Kleist hurled the German divisions on a Russian force outnumbered six to one in tanks, Tass said. The Germans appeared to be aiming at Novocherkassk, 25 miles north-east of Rostov, then planning to swing south on Rostov, one of

## Asks Status Quo On 'Open Shop' Issue At Mines

the key points in the defense of the Caucasus, Tass added.

The Germans succeeded in piercing the first and second Russian defense lines but the Red infantry, hidden in dugouts in the rear, held their ground, the report went on, while Soviet artillery poured in a withering fire. Tass said the tanks were caught in pits and blasted by mines.

### Troops Ready If Needed In Coal Strike

By JOHN LEAR

WASHINGTON, Nov. 19.—(AP)—Fifty thousand United States soldiers are waiting and ready for orders if President Roosevelt decides to use the army to take over the strike-bound captive coal mines.

An adviser to the president said that number—about one soldier to each union miner in the affected pits—had been required on "as adequate to protect lives and property without creating the impression of trying to frighten the workers with a show of force."

The troops would be equipped with "their usual arms," this source said, enumerating these as pistols, rifles, submachine guns and "possibly some bombs."

### Act As Friend

Tank and artillery units would be purposely eliminated from the occupation forces, he added, "because it is the army's intention to move in not as an enemy of the workers but as a friend, not to deprive the laborers of their rights but to assure them of a peaceful continuance of work as behind-the-lines soldiers in defense of their country."

If the troops are ordered to take over the mines, they will do so with specific instructions where to station themselves, what to do, even what to say. They already have been issued orders not to adopt "bossing" tactics or to make any wise cracks about the patriotism of the miners, which the defense chiefs do not question.

### Predict Cooperation

Army men in charge of preparations for the mine occupation expressed confidence that if the president ordered the soldiers sent in, "seventy-five per cent" of the strikers would go back to work voluntarily "on patriotic grounds" and the other 25 per cent "would dribble back within a few weeks." "It's all up to the president now," one of these leaders said after the plans were completed yesterday. "He's been holding back because he's a friend of the working man and doesn't want to do anything to destroy the working man's confidence in the gains the New Deal has achieved for labor."

"If he acts, it will be because there is no other way of preventing the collapse of defense production."

## • Obituary

Thomas Simeon Payne

Thomas Simeon Payne, 71, died at 7:45 o'clock Wednesday night at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Pleasant Bennett, 518 West Second street.

Mr. Payne was born at Newland, Mo., September 23, 1870. He is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Bennett of Sedalia, Mrs. D. G. Reine of Booneville; one sister, Mrs. Montgomery of Latham, Mo.; six brothers, L. F. Payne of Beman; Louis Payne, 1406 South Stewart avenue, and G. M. Allen, G. H. and Enoch Payne, all of Newland.

Also surviving are ten grandchildren and 17 great grandchildren.

The body was taken to the Ewing Funeral Home. Plans for services have not been completed.

### Attend Funeral Of Sam Jordan

Four Pettis countians attended the funeral services for Sam M. Jordan, first farm agent in Pettis county, which were held Tuesday afternoon at the Parker chapel in Columbia.

L. M. Monsees, of Smithton, first president of the Pettis county farm bureau who served in that capacity while Mr. Jordan was the agent, was an honorary pallbearer.

The others from here who attended were J. U. Morris, present county agent, Ralph Dow, president of the Pettis county farm bureau, and Arthur Kahn.

Mr. Jordan, who had pioneered in Farm Bureau and agriculture extension work, died Sunday at his home in Columbia. He was 80 years old.

### President In Suggestion Of Arbitration

WASHINGTON, Nov. 19.—(AP)—President Roosevelt, declaring that work in captive coal mines must recommence, called upon steel companies and the union executives today to maintain a status quo on the issue of a "closed shop" for the period of the national emergency or to submit this issue to arbitration, agreeing to accept in advance any decision reached.

The chief executive laid his alternatives before John L. Lewis, president of the United Mine Workers; Benjamin Fairless, president of United States Steel, Eugene Grace, president of Bethlehem Steel, and Frank Purnell, president of Youngstown Sheet and Tube; in identical letters.

"For the common good, for the maintenance of defense production," Mr. Roosevelt wrote, "it is imperative that one of these two alternatives be chosen and faithfully performed."

The president wrote as sympathy strikes in commercial coal mines were spreading rapidly during the day.

### Call To Patriotism

Mr. Roosevelt asked acceptance of one or the other alternative of the steel and union representatives as "patriotic Americans." He said that in order to open the way further for settlement of the captive mine dispute he was doing these two things:

1. Informing all coal operators who have signed an agreement with a closed shop provision and a non-strike penalty clause that they will be expected, in the interest of defense, to operate under those agreements without a change.

2—Asking all the operators of captive mines to reaffirm their assurances, by notice to each of their employees, that they are not opposed to union organization or collective bargaining and do not wish to discourage or stand in the way of any employee who chooses to join the United Mine Workers.

The president made his newest attempt to end strikes in the coal mines supplying fuel for vital steel production after he had declared yesterday that Lewis had submitted an invalid argument in declaring that the union shop provided by the Appalachian agreement with commercial coal mines would be abrogated if the union shop were not granted in captive mines. The union shop issue has been the heart of the captive mine controversy.

Mr. Roosevelt declared in his letter today that the issue in dispute, however strong the feeling about it may be, "does not justify a stoppage of work in a grave national crisis."

The protective wage clause of the Appalachian agreement, he said, had no bearing on this controversy. If the UMW signs with operators of the captive mines an agreement which provides no closed shop, Mr. Roosevelt said, not a single miner will lose any benefit or advantage which he now enjoys under the Appalachian agreement.

"The closed shop contracts that have already been signed will stand," he declared.

The president's latest request in the coal situation came between conferences with government officials, and railway management and union officials in an attempt to avert a threatened strike by railroad employees.

### Position Challenged

President Roosevelt, at his press conference yesterday, pointedly challenged the validity of one of the two reasons which John L. Lewis officially advanced as justification for the captive mine strike called.

He took issue with the UMW chief's assertion that if the union agreed to an open shop in the captive mines, it would cancel the existing UMW contract with the commercial mines of the Appalachian area by giving the captives preferential terms.

Lewis, retorted at once, reiterating that his original statement was the truth.

Mr. Roosevelt authorized a direct quotation to emphasize his views on the subject:

"I want to make this point perfectly clear: That the Appalachian agreement in all the commercial mines stands just as it has ever since it went into operation, and that no question involved in the captive mines strike would affect the pay or the hours or the collecting bargaining recognition of the United Mine Workers in any of the Appalachian agreement mines.

"Therefore, I do not think that point A in Mr. Lewis' letter was a valid point."

## Santa Coming November 26 For Big Christmas Parade

Plans for a monster Christmas parade are being worked out by the Christmas parade committee of the Sedalia Chamber of Commerce and the event this year promises to be more colorful and elaborate than for many years.

Santa Claus is coming and will arrive at 2:20 p. m., Wednesday, November 26 on the Missouri Pacific Eagle, which streamliner was chosen by him so there would be no possibility of disappointing the thousands of youngsters who will eagerly await his arrival.

"Bob" Overstreet, chairman of the parade committee yesterday received the following message:

SANTAGRAM  
"Will arrive in Sedalia at 2:20 p. m., November 26, on the Missouri Pacific Eagle. Have all children ready.  
SANTA"

In another communication Santa has advised he intends to visit crippled and sick children who desire him to call and those wishing a personal visit from the jolly old fellow should write a letter to Santa Claus, care Sedalia Chamber of Commerce.

The parade this year will form in the downtown district from Main street west from Ohio avenue and Santa will board his float after alighting from the Eagle at Main street and Osage avenue.

Invitations have been sent out to fifteen, or more bands, drum and bugle corps, and already a large number of schools from Sedalia's trade territory have signified intention to participate either with having floats or their musical organizations in the street pageant.

### Another Fatal Auto Crash Near La Monte



The demolished automobiles of William T. R. Remmert, Kansas City, who was killed yesterday, and John Kowalewski, Versailles, critically injured, taken a short time after the crash on highway 50 about a mile east of the LaMonte intersection. The Remmert car, a 1941 Plymouth sedan is shown with the right side caved in and the front part of the Ford coach which was smashed in. The frame and body of the Plymouth was bent almost into a V shape.

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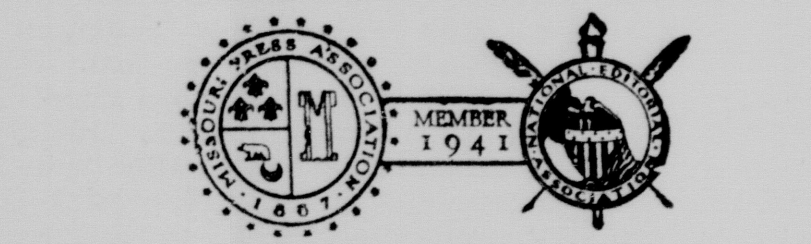
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### Somebody's Tongue Slipped

The biggest collection of reporters in any capital of the world is stationed in Washington. Every day this small army goes questing for news. Every day the newspaper men get negative replies or no answers at all to certain press conference queries they address to the President, the cabinet ministers or various representatives of important government agencies.

The scribes fully understand. They know the nation is facing an emergency. They comprehend the absolute necessity of withholding from the public news of this country's defense efforts that might be valuable to Adolf Hitler. When they ask how many airplanes, tanks, machine guns and pieces of artillery have been produced and how many more are contemplated, they are not at all surprised when they get no satisfaction. They realize this is information Nazi embassy attaches and Nazi spies are anxious to obtain.

So it came as a genuine surprise to the scribes and a very disagreeable shock to many persons in the government when the Maritime Commission let it be known that arms, munitions, tanks and planes for Russia would be routed from now on, not across the Pacific ocean to Vladivostok, but from Boston to Archangel.

That news was a golden gift to the skippers of the submarines and raiders that Hitler has sent out into the North Atlantic. Doubtless his seamen and airmen would eventually have discovered the facts, but the report saved them time and trouble. It put them on notice to go gunning for important game. It almost told them exactly where to lurk for their prey, because there are not many sea-lanes between Boston and Archangel.

It has increased the danger to American vessels carrying supplies to Russia. It has made more difficult the task of the warships whose duty it will be to shepherd the convoys safely to port. It has made more likely the loss of some cargoes that are invaluable.

In the German admiralty, it is easy to imagine, there were many hearty "heils" and "hochs."

### Buying a Town on Shares

Home-seekers are buying, not individual homes for themselves, but equity shares in the whole community of Audubon Park, New Jersey.

It's a new plan devised chiefly by Col. Lawrence Westbrook of the Federal Works Administration, sponsored by the federal government, and ready for application to eight other similar projects. The buyer makes monthly payments of from \$24 to \$36 a month and this money goes not toward buying the house he lives in, but into a general fund for amortization of a \$1,500,000 mortgage on the whole community. When the mortgage is paid up, each holder will own not a house of his own, but paid-up ownership shares in the community.

How this new plan will work, time alone will tell. It could conceivably revolutionize real estate practice. It is one of the new ways of doing things which are going to be tried out in increasing numbers in coming years, for better or worse.

### Alice Through the Cellophane

Now the use of cellophane is going to be cut down because the chemicals of which it is made are required in the defense program.

There may be cases in which this restriction will work genuine hardship, but there are other cases in which it will be a blessing in disguise. We've seen packages, both the mechanically wrapped trade kind and the home-wrapped gift variety, in which cellophane was used not to protect the goods merely, not even purely for decorative effect, but obviously in a malign and sinister plot to baffle the recipient. We've seen strong men, after minutes of futile clawing and pawing at such a package, tear out their hair by the handfuls and then just sit down and howl like a banshee. Those who have made a sensible use of that highly useful material, cellophane, may be put out by the new restrictions, but in some cases a little restriction is going to be just a plain relief.

We won't have a man's world after this war. But neither will it be a woman's world. It will be a people's world.—Thomas H. Beck, president, Crowell Publishing Co.

### Gallant 'Little Norway'

Their beloved home country, with its snow-clad mountains and deep dark fjords, may be under the cruel domination of the Nazis, but gallant Norwegians from all parts of the world have established a "Little Norway" on the water front of Toronto. Here the Norwegian flag floats in the Canadian breeze. Here officers and men toast King Haakon.

Out of funds which escaped the clutches of the German invaders, the Norwegian government-in-exile has built barracks and hangars where Norsemen are training as airmen to join battle against their hated foe. They came, not only from secure posts in China, in the Argentine, in the United States, but from whalers in the lonely waters of the Arctic and even by slipping through the Nazi cordon in Norway itself.

All these men are inspired with the same spirit of adventure, the same bravery as the ancient Vikings, who hazarded their lives in the stormy Atlantic with nothing better than tiny vessels that looked as if every wave would crush them.

The Viking heart still beats in tune.

### Danger In A Name

It is not only in Germany that Protestant pastors and Catholic priests are threatened by Nazi gangsters. The Quislings, who imitate and serve the Hitlers of this world, always act as expected.

Hear the story: In a little Norwegian village two proud fathers came to church to have their offspring christened.

"My son shall be named Adolf," said the first father, a follower of Quisling. And it was even so.

"My son shall be named with a proud Norwegian name. Christen him Bjarne," said the second father. "But first, please, change the baptismal water." And it was even so.

Next day, the pastor was dismissed. He was lucky he was not sent to a concentration camp, or shot.

### Cheers for Cucuji!

It's a nuisance for many of us. Every month we get one of those pesky bills for electric current. Almost makes a fellow want to move down to the balmy shores of Mexico facing the big gulf. For we are reliably informed that electric light bills are totally unknown down there. All the lucky folks have to do is go out in their garden and capture a handful of cucuji.

Never heard of them? Well, they are a sort of greenish-black beetle that produces a phosphorescent light. Put half a dozen of them in a little bamboo cage and they will give as much light as a 15-watt electric bulb.

Ho, hum, let's turn out the cucuji beetles and go to sleep.

## Looking Backward

• forty years ago

The meeting of the Ministers' Alliance yesterday morning was attended by an unusually large group. Rev. C. A. Buchanan read "How To Get Worldliness Out of the Church," which was discussed. Bishop E. R. Hendrix, of the Southern M. E. church made a short talk.

Henry Fournier, French automobilist, established a new world's record for one mile Saturday, covering the distance in 51.45 seconds. In the class of electric machines, which also contested for a record, A. L. Riker drove the mile in 1:03 minute. For steam automobiles, S. T. Davis covered the course with a new record of 1:35.

Charles Leftwich, Sedalia police officer, will become landlord of the Commercial hotel, on West Main street, Monday. Leftwich will succeed Mrs. W. B. Taylor, who will leave soon for Texas to spend the winter.

Rev. M. C. B. Mason, secretary of the Freedman's Aid society, arrived this afternoon from Chicago and will lecture tonight at the George R. Smith college on "What a Tramp Saw in Europe."

The ladies of St. Patrick's church have leased the Hurley building on East Third street, formerly occupied by the Western Union Telegraph company, and will hold their fair and festival there beginning Monday night.

James Callahan, of East Fifth street, is organizing an Uncle Tom's Cabin company to take to the road in the near future.

Workmen are excavating at 516 West Fifth street today, preliminary to running a water pipe into the home of J. B. Nall, who occupies one of the Kelk cottages.

The three bowling alleys of the Royal Bowling hall were taken up today and will be shipped to Nevada, where a new hall will be opened by Mr. Hiatt, former manager of the establishment here.

Fashion designers are reported to be considering shortening women's skirts sufficiently to prevent them from dragging along the streets as they walk. Shortening of the dresses, say designers, would be much more sanitary, since the long dresses collect many germs from the streets and the women carry them into their homes.

The Missouri Fish commission car No. 1 arrived in Sedalia this morning from Hannibal after traveling through the state, distributing fish for stocking Missouri streams. 200 big mouthed bass were given to Grant Crawford to stock the large pond on his farm. Crawford has some crapple in the pond at present.

At a meeting of the Sedalia Typographical Union No. 206 Sunday afternoon, members voted to give a ball at Liberty park hall December 19. W. A. Knight was elected delegate from Sedalia to the annual meeting of the State Federation of Labor at St. Joseph January 6. George L. Kraut was named alternate.

## Legion Plans Year's Work

### Representative Group Discussed Various Problems

The American Legion meeting for commanders and adjutants held the past weekend was concluded late Sunday afternoon, following a business session held in the Circuit Court room, while the presidents and secretaries of Ladies Auxiliary of the Legion completed their meeting shortly after noon, Sunday.

The entire session was devoted to the working program of the American Legion in Missouri. Reports on various committees and commissions of the Legion were made to the Post Commanders and their adjutants, and short talks of Legion interest were given by visiting Legionnaires from Illinois and Indiana.

As part of the afternoon program the "Guard of Honor" a group of St. Louis Legionnaires gave a demonstration on the manner of conducting a military funeral. The Guard of Honor, which was organized by Clarence H. Otis, superintendent of the U. S. National cemetery at Jefferson Barracks, had a complete unit present, dressed in their American Legion uniforms.

#### Often Called On

It is composed of members from the various Posts in the 10th, 11th and 12th St. Louis districts and has a non-dues membership of 196. It was first organized February 1, of this year, and since that time have been called upon almost daily to conduct a service.

During the demonstration service the Commander was Captain Joe Shepard; Chaplain, Adjutant M. G. Stoepelman; Sergeant-at-arms John Reesnick, while the soloist was Mrs. Alta Kleinknecht, Legion Auxiliary member from St. Louis.

Then also was a demonstration on the new United States regulation in folding the American Flag. Taps By Sedalia Boys

Taps were sounded by two Smith-Cotton high school band members, Buddy Arnold and Rudolph Grother.

Two services were held, one where the American Legion pays tribute to its departed member the evening before the funeral services, and the second was the graveside service, which includes firing a three-volley salute and sounding of taps.

Although the tenseness of the World condition today was on the lips of every veteran, it was scarcely mentioned during the business sessions.

#### Mentions Fifth Columnists

Charles L. Wilson, Assistant National Director of Americanism for the Legion, from National Headquarters at Indianapolis, Indiana, spoke and his talks were strictly on the lines of Americanism and what the Legion should do in furthering the program. He made reference to the fifth columnist, and those persons who are pushing un-American ideas in this country. He cited various incidents of the present World War where countries were overthrown because of the lack of patriotism for their own government.

Milt E. Campbell, Assistant National Director on Defense, Indianapolis, outlined the National Defense program sponsored by the American Legion and repeated in part his talk given last Saturday night at the banquet held at Liberty Park.

#### Talks and Reports

Others who spoke and gave reports were John B. Grotewiel, chairman on membership, St. Louis; Col. Charles A. Shaw, State National Defense Director, Clayton; James S. Gray, School Awards, St. Louis; Lloyd King, state superintendent of schools, in charge of the State Oratorical Contest, Jefferson City; John K. Walsh, State Americanism Director, Jefferson City; James E. Mecom, Child Welfare, Cape Girardeau; Harry C. Todson, Rehabilitation Commission, Joplin. William B. Stone, Publishing and Printing Board, Kansas City.

L. I. Morris, Seventh District Commander, announced a meeting of the District in Sedalia on November 30.

The Auxiliary at its meeting which was also largely attended was closed with the adoption of resolutions.

#### Passed Resolutions

The Resolutions committee of the auxiliary presented resolutions which were adopted and extended to the following: Mrs. Leo Kroenke, president of the 7th district; Mrs. Homer Hall, president of Pettis County Unit No. 16; Mrs. L. R. Bailey, members of that unit; Mrs. E. W. Richardson, local chairman of arrangements; Mrs. Robert B. Wood, Mrs. William A. Monegan, Mrs. A. R. Beach and her Singing Scouts; Miss Elynn Beach, Miss Betty Lou Woods, Andy Costello, and children of veterans, for entertainment; Miss Nora Walker and Miss Nell Walker for banquet favors; Mrs. Paul Zink, president of the PTA council and members of seven associations of Sedalia; Dr. J. E. Cannaday, Mrs. Charles W. Green; Sedalia Chamber of Commerce and all others for the services each has given.

The Resolutions committee was composed of Mrs. L. V. Price, chairman, Mrs. Robert Johnson, and Mrs. Carl Holz.

### Charles Van Dyne Named 'M' Officer

COLUMBIA Mo., Nov. 17.—(AP)—H. G. Simpson of Charleston, Mo., a member of the State Highway commission, was elected president of the University of Missouri "M" Men's Association Saturday. Charles Van Dyne of Sedalia was named vice-president and A. J. Stankowski of Columbia was reelected secretary-treasurer.

Other alumni group elections today included: Law School association; J. C. McDowell of Charleston, Mo., president; Robert Siler of Joplin, secretary.

School of Business Association: W. J. Barnett of Columbia, president.

Medical School Foundation: Howard A. Rusk of St. Louis, president.

## Stunt Man Dies In Galveston

### Took Part In Daredevil Acts At State Fair Here

GALVESTON, Tex., Nov. 17.—(AP)—The advance story described Capt. Bob Ward's Daredevil Aces show as a circus of death.

Stressed as a feature attraction was the dynamite wagon act, in which "a car is loaded with 50 sticks of dynamite and completely blown to bits with the driver still in the seat as the charge is ignited and set off.

"Anything can happen in this stunt and everything usually does. So many drivers have been injured attempting it that Captain Ward has contemplated striking the feature from the program."

"However, Suicide Ted Wade insists upon staying with the dynamite wagon and claims to be the only person in the world performing the feat."

Last night the 26-year-old Tulsa, Okla., stunt man drove the dynamite wagon to a far corner of the stadium.

There was a loud explosion, the smoke cleared away. Wade did not step out of the car. He died in an ambulance.

The show continued.

"Suicide," as Ted Wade was known to sporting circles, was the principal driver for the Capt. Bob Ward's Daredevils which have been an attraction at the Missouri State Fair the past two years. While Cap. Ward stood in the racing track describing the various features, Wade would take off in the old wrecked automobiles to put on the show. The young daredevil appeared with the show last fair week and the year before. He drove the car which was blown to bits on the far side of the race tracks.

## Must Take Farm Work If Possible

JEFFERSON CITY, Nov. 17.—(AP)—The WPA will temporarily shut down projects anywhere in Missouri if necessary to supply farm labor, Col. B. M. Casteel, state administrator, said today.

Casteel said many farmers had complained of difficulty in finding farm hands for the rush work following the recent rainy weather when both planting and harvesting were delayed.

The administrator also reminded workers of the WPA rule that any man working for WPA who refuses to take private employment under "reasonable" working conditions is automatically cut off the WPA rolls.

Any farmer who desires help off the WPA forces may obtain men by applying to the foreman of the nearest project, Casteel said.

## Rotarians See Fair Pictures

The regular meeting of the Sedalia Rotary club held at noon yesterday at the Bothwell hotel with Roy Keller, president, presiding.

Frank Bryant, program chairman, introduced Ernest Baker, secretary of the Missouri State Fair, who gave a short talk. Mr. Baker told of a new type of publicity that has been added to the fair organization, in the showing over the state of a colored motion picture of the 1941 state fair.

Mr. Baker introduced John F. Case who presented the program to Rotary, showing the 1941 exposition. It covers every phase of the 1941 state fair, showing practically every exhibit on the grounds and is a very educational picture. Mr. Case stated that to date approximately 1,000 Missourians have seen the picture, and more than 2,000 miles have been traveled to take the film to various points in the state.

Visitors introduced by B. B. Bess were G. W. Dremer, Warrensburg, E. J. Burger of Lorain, Ohio, and L. Jones of Warrensburg, Mrs. Harvey Keens, Mrs. E. J. Burger, J. F. Case, Kansasville, and L. M. Janssey.

#### Fined One Dollar

J. R. Dobyns, of Kansas City, was charged today in the court of J. C. Conner of hunting with an un-plugged gun. Dobyns was fined \$1 and costs.

## La Monte

By Mrs. R. E. Kerby

Neil Snelson and John Stewart of Ava, Mo., spent Wednesday night with the former sister, Mrs. L. C. Stewart and family.

Honoring the 69th birthday anniversary of C. B. Miles the following relatives were dinner guests at the Miles home Sunday November 9th: Mr. and Mrs. William Miles, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Kelly of Moberly, Mr. and Mrs. Marion Miles and children, Mary Ann, Martha and Curry, Mrs. Marvin Miles, Mrs. Mary Miles and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Appelly of Kansas City, Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Miles, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Miles and children, Dick Jr., and Charley Miles and Miss Betty Potter of Marshall, Mr. and Mrs. Blair Miles and daughter Given of Maryville, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Horan of Manhattan Kansas and Mrs. Curtis Miles of Warrensburg, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Clemens, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Miles.

Mr and Mrs. Charles Carlin had as guests Tuesday the latter's niece Mrs. King McElheny and Mr. McElheny of Kansas City.

Bob Keller and Jack Carlin who attend college in Fayette spent the weekend with home folk. Jack was accompanied home by his roommate Dick Cunder.

Editor and Mrs. Virgil Sweeney had as dinner guests Sunday, Lee and Edwin Johnson of Ludlow, Mo. Mr. Lee Johnson is a partner of Mr. Sweeney's in Ludlow.

"Bill" Lukens made a business trip to Waverly Tuesday. Mrs. W. V. Terrell, Mr. and Mrs. Howell Cross and baby son William Dennis of Tulsa, Okla., arrived Monday for a visit with Dr. and Mrs. W. E. Walker and Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Cross and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Allan spent the weekend with the former's parents Mr. and Mrs. Robert Allen near St. Louis.

The Nautilus club met at the home of Mrs. R. B. Burke on Tuesday November 11. After a short business session the program was in charge of the citizenship committee with Mrs. J. E. Wheeler as leader, who gave some extracts from an article written by Cave Simpson for the K. C. Star. Rev. C. I. Phipps and Mrs. Leonard Reavis sang "It Pays to Serve Jesus" Rev. Phipps in his address on American citizenship, illustrated how home, school and church all influence citizenship. The program was closed by singing "God Bless America".

Guests of the club were Mrs. P. S. Craig, Mrs. E. P. Burke, Mrs. Clay Curtis and baby, Miss Blanche Anderson and Miss Connie Nash. Refreshments were served by the hostess.

The 81st birthday anniversary of M. M. Price was celebrated by a family dinner at the Price home Sunday and attended by the following: Mrs. Clara Wade and daughter Miss Doris, Mrs. Ella Guthrie, Mrs. Ruth Price and daughters Ruth Elaine and Helen Bernice, Martha Cavalier, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Willis, Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Price and son Egbert.

Mrs. Elizabeth Andrews was hostess to members of her bridge club Thursday afternoon. There were three tables of players with Mrs. R. A. Conner playing substitute hand. Mrs. John Rhoads received the award for high score and Mrs. E. R. Keller second high. Guest prize went to Mrs. R. A. Conner Refreshments were served by the hostess.

The W. M. U. of the LaMonte Baptist church held an all day meeting at the home of Mrs. J. B. Marshall Friday. A covered dish luncheon was enjoyed at the noon hour followed by the missionary program in the afternoon. The topic of discussion was "An urgent Gospel to dispell Heathen Darkness, with Mrs. S. A. Maxey as leader. The remainder of the day was spent quilting for the hostess.

### Test Suit Filed On Burial Insurance

JEFFERSON CITY, Nov. 17.—(AP)Attorney General Roy McKittick today filed an ouster suit against the Barry County Burial Association of Cassville as a test case to determine the status of numerous similar organizations. The suit charged Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Koon and Wilson Bradley sued 1934 have unlawfully "usurped" the privilege of selling burial insurance without legal authority and asked the state supreme court to oust them from business and to fine them.

#### Truck Driver Killed Today

FREDERICKTOWN, Mo., Nov. 17.—(AP)—R. V. Lewis, 33, of Joplin, Mo., was instantly killed when a transport truck loaded with four automobiles ran off highway 67 five miles south of Fredericktown and overturned today. He was driving the transport from St. Louis to Little Rock, Ark.

The transport truck is owned by a Joplin company. An inquest was scheduled for this afternoon.

#### Dies After Accident

WEBB CITY, Mo., Nov. 17.—(AP)—Injured as a car he was driving left a highway curve and struck a power line pole. Chris Opershon, 16, of Neck, Mo., died yesterday. The accident occurred Saturday night.

### Lieutenant Killed In Routine Flight

FLORENCE, S. C. Nov. 17.—(AP)—Second Lieut. William E. Howard, 25, of Tulsa, Okla., was killed near here today when his pursuit plane crashed in a field during a routine flight in connection with the army maneuvers in the Carolinas.

He was a member of the 45th pursuit squadron of the 31st pursuit group, which was stationed here for the maneuvers.

The unit adjutant's office said Howard, a graduate of Kelly Field Texas, was survived by his widow, now at Tulsa with her mother.

#### Loses Eye While On Hunting Trip

DEXTER, Mo., Nov. 17.—(AP)—Herbert Thrower, 35, well-known local insurance man and automobile dealer, suffered loss of his left eye and wounds about the body when he was accidentally shot yesterday while bird hunting with three other men. Doctors treating him said one shot passed through the left eyeball. A number of shot hit his left side and arm but those wounds are not considered serious.

#### Dies of Injuries

DEXTER, Mo., Nov. 17.—(AP)—James E. Pruett, 24, died at a Cape Girardeau hospital today of injuries suffered Saturday night when an automobile he and seven others occupied, collided with a wagon on Highway 25 south of Dexter. Other occupants of the car were unhurt.

Pruett was the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Pruett of near Bernie.

## Sweet Springs

By Mrs. W. E. Andrew  
Mrs. Richard Wall has gone to St. Louis to spend two weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Waite.

Mrs. Margaret Tuller, who has spent the past two weeks in the Pelot home left Saturday for her home in Bozeman, Mont. Her uncle, Charles Pelot, accompanied her as far as Kansas City.

Mrs. B. L. Houston, of Marshall, and her daughter, Mrs. Clifford Van Pelt and little son, Stephen Huston, of Ft. Riley, Kas., visited here Friday. Mrs. Van Pelt was formerly Miss Helen Huston.

Mr. and Mrs. William Andrew, of Neosho, spent the weekend at their home here.

Mrs. M. Poese was operated on at Research hospital in Kansas City last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Treece are parents of a daughter, Joyce Allene, born Monday. Mrs. Treece was formerly Miss Faye King.

Mrs. Irvin Hoffman and daughter and her mother, Mrs. Martha Domsch, went to Oakland, Ia., last Friday to visit Rev. John Domsch and family. Mrs. Domsch remained for a longer visit while the others returned Sunday.

Mrs. J. H. Hale returned Sunday from Lawrence, Kas., where she had spent two weeks with her son and family.

Mrs. Howard Reavis and daughter, Caroline, visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Weaver at Hickman Mills last week.

The MacDowell Music club held their regular monthly meeting in the form of a patriotic banquet in the high school rooms Tuesday evening, Armistice Day. The members assembled in the library and then were invited to the home economics room where the band mothers organization served a delicious dinner. The mess call was sounded on the trumpet by L. A. Burkel. Mrs. Joe Williams and Mrs. Joy Payne played as a piano duet, "The Stars and Stripes Forever." Hy White read "In Flanders Fields." Ernest Barker sang: "I Am An American." The program was closed by Leo Hayob leading the singing of the national anthem, after which Mr. Burkel sounded taps.

Mrs. Glen Widder, the president, then took charge of the business meeting. About forty-five were present. Misses Rose Pape, Margaret King, Mrs. Ernest Barker and Henry White were the committee in charge. The Philathea class of the Christian church met at the home of Mrs. Howard Reavis Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Glendon Shields, the assisting hostess. Seventeen were present. The afternoon was spent in the sewing for the Red Cross. The class president, Mrs. W. E. Andrew conducted the business meeting. Plans were made for the Christmas welfare work and for the annual Christmas dinner. Delicious refreshments were served.

Mrs. Berger receives an appointment  
Mrs. Anna Berger, 618 East Broadway, has been appointed registrar of vital statistics for Pettis county, district 668, she has been notified. She succeeds Mrs. Harry Sneed.

Mrs. Berger is a Republican, and has been an active member of the party for a number of years. The appointment was made by Dr. James Stewart, State Health Commissioner.

#### Chickens Stolen

Mrs. Chester Lower, Longwood, reported to the police that sometime early Sunday seventy-five white rock chickens were stolen from her farm.

## Ionia

Mrs. Homer Howe

Vivian Nell Mather the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Mather and Robert Keyter, the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. William Keyter were married in Sedalia Monday. The young couple at present is residing at the home of the bride's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Renfrow and children, Wanetta and Doris Jean were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. V. S. Lutjen of Versailles.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Weinberg entertained at their home Wednesday evening in honor of their son Oliver, who is on furlough from Camp Ft. Leonard Wood and honoring the birthdays of Ardella and Mrs. Elroy Wienberg. The evening was spent socially. Refreshments were served to the following: Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Brockman, Irma and Alice Brockman, Mr. and Mrs. John Kroenke, Roland and Arlene Kroenke, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Wahrman and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Friedley, Iola Friedley, Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Bockelman and daughter Ruth, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Renfrow, Mr. and Mrs. Elroy Weinberg, Oliver and Ardella Weinberg and Mr. and Mrs. Emil Weinberg.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Argenbright, William Keuper, Mr. and Mrs. John Ahlers and Mr. and Mrs. William Krohn attended the funeral of Mrs. Sophia Schlusling at Lincoln, Mo., Sunday.

Lawrence Laudeman who is in training at Camp Robinson was an overnight guest of John Knopp Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Brown and daughter Lucile, who have lived the past year at California, Mo., where Mr. Brown has been employed moved the past week to their farm home north of Ionia.

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Phil A. Bennett

## Our Congressman Says . . .

"My Kingdom for a Horse!" shouted a king in the midst of a historic battle. And well might Uncle Sam raise a similar yell today. Census figures disclose farmers are not raising enough horses or mules for replacement. Approximately only two-thirds as many horses and one-fourth as many mules are being raised as are needed to maintain the present number of horses and mules on farms. It would appear certain that, even if the Army doesn't require a large number, there will be a serious shortage of work stock for agricultural needs so essential today under the new plan of abundant production. The figures show that there are 505,073 horses, 193,565 mules, and 45,156 tractors in Missouri. It is estimated that 200,000 tractors will have to be built annually just to replace those already in service. But, OPM has allocated to the farm equipment manufacturers only 80 per cent of the metals they used in 1940. It is apparent, therefore, that the man who raises enough colts for his own replacements, and who has enough stock to do farm work when repairs, gas or oil cannot be obtained for his tractor (if any) has a second line of defense as indispensable to him as to the nation he serves.

A West Point For Missouri. Sounds strange doesn't it? But, why not? One government army school and one naval academy seem insufficient to turn out the number of highly trained officers needed for the great army and navy necessary to police the world under the policy of shooting the freedom into the heathens who won't voluntarily accept them. Germany has five government military academies similar to West Point. It seems to me that such new schools should be established now and located, for the most part, in the safe and central sections of the United States. After all, what has the East got that we haven't got more of if it's worth having?

A Missouri Executive came to Washington to see about priorities on an item used in the making of motors. He went from office to office telling his story, but none of his friends could direct him to the proper defense agency (there are 132 of them) to find out what he wanted. Finally, in the OPM labyrinth, an official gave him what seemed like a sound clue. "I'll tell you what to do," he said. "Go back to Missouri and write us a letter. The messenger in the mail room will know where to send it." If you are a businessman and have also had your troubles with OPM, and care to write me for it, I will be glad to send you a booklet they have now released which purports partially to explain the mysteries of government control of business. Just ask for the "OPM Handbook."

Thanksgiving day next year will be on the old date, i. e. the last Thursday in November. It was found, you will remember, the change to an earlier date did not help the merchants make more money, as was at first anticipated. The mistake was admitted. Sometimes I think there is too much emphasis put on the material in connection with things which should be of the spirit. Here in Washington, D. C., on Armistice day, for instance, every store was open for "business as usual." Only government offices observed this anniversary. Washington is where the decisions are made but Washington is not America. At this season we have much to be thankful for, however, and would do well to pause in a prayer of thanksgiving as did our rugged forefathers who carved this Republic out of the wilderness. How I envy you who will enjoy Thanksgiving day in Missouri. I could just about finish this column on the subject of Thanksgiving, but, I am sure, we share the same thoughts on this subject. Chief among these thoughts of thanksgiving—how good it is to be an American, citizen of a country, where, under God, the people rule!

Just Between Us, inside dope indicates the price control bill will go over a rocky road. . . Legislation to regulate strikes in defense industries, if requested by the president, will be quickly enacted. The French ambassador, Henry-Haye, called on the president this week to urge the U. S. to help feed and clothe 1,350,000 French soldiers held as prisoners of war. Mortality rates in France are now 45 per cent above normal and the winter will bring increasing hardships, starvation and death by exposure to millions in the conquered countries. But, U. S. policy to date follows that of the British, i. e., blockade now, starve many now, create conditions for revolution in occupied territory. Seems to me a starved baby or prisoner is a poor revolutionary. . . Credit should be given where credit is due.

The federal deposit insurance corporation, in existence for six years, insures deposits in 13,000 banks and does an efficient job. Just now this agency is preparing or bank failures in districts where small businesses are being forced out of the picture due to inability to get materials with which to continue operation because they're not engaged in defense production. It wasn't in the headlines but in U. S. department of

labor bulletin 260 you will find that in only six days, from October 20th to 25th, the Army bought \$1,026,250 worth of human blood for transfusion purposes. This is only a small part of that already bought and yet to be purchased. Guess why?

The Neutrality Bill fight is now history. It was exciting while the fight was on. Arguments advanced for revision were (1) we are in war and need to permit our merchant ships to be armed and to enter England's ports to take lend-lease goods to our ally (2) we are not in war and it is a peace measure to keep war at a distance. Best argument against revision: When you put a gun on an unarmored merchant boat and send it in to a war zone it is like putting boxing gloves on Eddie Cantor and throwing him into the ring with Joe Louis. History of last war shows such is no protection against aircraft, submarines or battleships. It simply creates incidents to arouse public opinion to support a declaration of war and an AEF. Telephone calls by the president to wavering Democrats, with threats of purges and promise of federal patronage, tipped the scales in favor of revision. A close vote. Let's hope it works out for the best.

## Acting Commandant Named At Kemper

BOONVILLE, Mo., Nov. 19.—(P)—Capt. D. C. Allison, Coach of boxing, wrestling and swimming, was named acting commandant of Kemper Military school Tuesday by Col. A. M. Hitch, superintendent.

He succeeds Maj. Walter Scott McArthur who died last week. Captain Allison came to Kemper in 1925 as a teacher of history and coach of swimming and boxing. In 1928 he became wrestling coach and in 1931 head football coach and in 1931 head football coach and in 1931 head football coach and in 1931 head football coach.

He received his B. S. degree from the University of Illinois and his M. A. degree from the University of Missouri.

## Rev. Rumpf Gives Address To PTA

Discussing the subject "Enmity Multiplies" before the Broadway P. T. A. Tuesday afternoon, the Rev. O. J. Rumpf analyzed types of emotions, angers and enmities. The speaker gave concrete examples of psychological approaches directed toward the elimination of these various undesirable attitudes and behaviors, which pass on into the hearts of children and when once instilled increasingly affect their lives. Mr. Rumpf cited not only individual problems but also group reactions on world issues.

For devotional, a group of seventh grade pupils, taught by Mrs. L. F. Ritchie, gave an arrangement of Psalms as a choral reading. They then sang the new Broadway school song, with Miss Cleora Clements at the piano. The president, Mrs. G. A. Walters, presided.

## Homemakers Entertained

Mrs. W. C. Mewes, Miss Myrtle Mewes and Mrs. Herbert Mewes were hostesses Thursday afternoon at the former's home at which time they entertained the Oak Grove Homemakers.

Mrs. George Fichter Tripple "A" field woman of Pettis county gave a talk on Soil Conservation and showed pictures on same. Also displayed samples of dried eggs and milk.

Mrs. Ralph McCowan and Miss Myrtle Mewes had charge of the project, "Tasty Dishes from Milk and Eggs."

The club letter was read by Mrs. Clifford Mawhorter, Miss Margaret Sperber and Mrs. Burton Russell Jr.

The club voted to have their annual chicken dinner at the club house Thursday, November 27th at 7 o'clock. All members and their families are invited.

Twenty-two members were present, with Mrs. George Fichter and Miss Margaret Sperber as guests. Delicious refreshments of sponge cake, whipped cream and apricot served to look like poached egg on toast, in keeping with the project for the day, was enjoyed.

Little Misses Marie and Dorothy Mewes assisted in serving. The December Christmas party will be at the home of Mrs. Robert Woods with a dessert luncheon preceding the party.

## School Child Injured When Hit By Car

Roy Benware, nine years old, a third grade student at Broadway school received painful but not serious injuries at noon yesterday when struck by an automobile driven by "Bill" Ellis, 1311 East Sixth street.

The boy, son of Mrs. R. M. Benware, 1215 South Lamine avenue, was crossing Kentucky avenue between Broadway and Ninth streets, and Mr. Ellis was driving north on Kentucky. He was knocked to the pavement and received a laceration on the left side of his scalp and a cut on the left leg below the knee. He was treated at the Bothwell hospital and sent to his home.

## Windsor

Mrs. W. T. Jordan

Mrs. James Deakins, of Kansas City, entertained members of the H. B. M. club at her home Sunday with a dinner bridge. Four tables of bridge was played with Mrs. Robert Moss receiving travel favor. Consolation went to Mrs. Ralph Allen and high honors to Genevieve Weiss. Those attending from here were Mesdames Arlo Vincent, Walter Moser, Ralph Allen, Beverly Van Slyke, Gayle Spalding, Norman Humphrey, Henry Ira, Robert Moss, Ed Alexander, Kenneth Marti, Misses Mary Ellen Gray and Genevieve Weiss.

Mrs. M. L. Riley was hostess Monday to members of the D.A.R. The assisting hostess was Mrs. George Windsor. The program was in charge of Miss Churchill, with the subject "Thanksgiving." Mrs. J. T. Shadburne read an interesting paper on the topic. Nineteen members were present.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Martin entertained with a luncheon and shower Thursday night in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Edmondson. Those present were: Messrs. and Mesdames John Lowry, Kenneth Irvin, Clayton Bradley, Bill McKenzie, Miss Florence Harbit and the honor guests Mr. and Mrs. Edmondson.

Mrs. Mary Huston left Tuesday for Mena, Arkansas for a short visit with relatives. From there she will go to Dallas, Tex., to spend the Christmas holidays with Mrs. Robert Huston. The remainder of the winter she will spend in San Diego, Calif.

Miss Eva Nine entertained Thursday afternoon the members of the O.E.W. club and these additional guests: Mrs. Albert Coble, Mrs. H. L. Winzenreid, Mrs. R. L. Allen, Mrs. J. G. Schweitzer, Mrs. Earl Breece and Mrs. M. D. Muir. The afternoon was spent in needlework. A delicious plate lunch was served.

Mrs. George Houseman of Chillicothe, Mo., is here visiting relatives and friends for a short time. Rainbow Order for girls met in regular session at the hall Thursday night. Two candidates, Morley Ann Higley and Betty Sue Gray were initiated.

Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Davis, formerly of Windsor have moved to a farm they purchased near Colorado Springs, Colo. Mr. Davis was sheriff of Henry County a few years ago.

The Kuple Klub were delightfully entertained Thursday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Stickrod. Guests were seated at four tables where a dessert course was served before the series of games. Mr. and Mrs. Fred McAllister won high scoring honors. Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Comer were special guests.

W. W. P. class of the Methodist church met at the home of Mrs. B. F. Harris last Friday afternoon. Mrs. C. E. Oechsli was the assisting hostess and Mrs. Armstrong the leader. Mrs. J. S. Carter read the scripture, a prayer was given by Mrs. S. P. Ayres. A Thanksgiving program was in charge of Mrs. M. D. Muir, with the subject "Pilgrims." Twenty-five were present. The business meeting was presided over by Mrs. Carter. The members voted to send a gift box to Miss Meda Stratton and to piece a quilt. Mrs. B. H. Harris read an article on "Forget Not His Benefits."

Louis Greife and son Frederick and Roy Milam motored to Kansas City last Thursday to see Mrs. Greife who is at Research hospital. Mr. Milam remained a few days.

Tri-County Bankers meeting was held at the Christian church one evening last week. Sixty-five plates were served at the banquet. After the dinner the ladies went to the home of Mrs. Elbert Sutherland for an evening of bridge while their husbands were in a business meeting.

J. M. Pepper quietly celebrated his 86th birthday October 30th at his home on Colorado street. A few friends called during the afternoon to pay their respects.

Windsor Study club met Monday afternoon of last week at the home of Mrs. Virgil Tryman. Papers on "What the Women of America Have to be Thankful For," and "What We in Windsor Have to be Thankful For," were read by Mrs. J. T. Shadburne and Mrs. George Wright. A vocal solo was given by Mrs. Ellis Huston.

Mrs. James Lemley of Webster Groves, Mo., Neri Swope and Ezra Swope of Maysville, Mo., Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Swope of St. Joseph, Mo., Mrs. Lester Berry, Mrs. Walter Coats and Clark Shoemaker of Knob Noster were here to attend the funeral of a relative, Nathaniel Swope last week.

## Slightly Hurt As Car Slips Into Ditch

Mrs. O. K. Rice, of 812 West Seventh street, driving a 1941 Oldsmobile coupe, was injured yesterday morning about 11:15, when the car went out of control and slipped off the wet pavement running into a ditch. The accident occurred about a mile and a half southwest of Sedalia on the Green Ridge road. The front and back ends of the auto were badly smashed. Mrs. Rice received a severe cut over the right eye and over the nose, which required about nine stitches. She was treated by Dr. A. L. Walter, plaintiff.

## Granted Divorce In Circuit Court

Green I. Wright was granted a divorce yesterday from Nora Wright followed a hearing in circuit court before Judge Dimmitt Hoffman. General indignities were alleged.

W. W. Blain represented the plaintiff.

## Knob Noster

Mrs. Earl Sappington entertained the Merry Matrons at luncheon in her home Thursday. A social afternoon was enjoyed. The guests were Mesdames P. G. Utley, W. V. Richeon, Russell Kendrick, W. J. Carr, Mary Covey, Charles F. Covey, Charles L. Sauls and Georgia Hope Littlefield. Mrs. Grace Holloway of Kansas City was a guest.

The A. M. S. class of the Christian church held an all day meeting at the church Tuesday. Mrs. H. A. Wimer, the President, had charge of the business. Mrs. Rayburn Dawes led a devotional service on Armistice and Thanksgiving. A covered dish lunch was served at noon.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Atkins of Warrensburg, former residents of Knob Noster, received notice last week that their son, Jack Atkins has been promoted to first lieutenant in the air corps. Jack is stationed at Albrook Field, in the Canal Zone, where he is serving as an aviator.

Miss Adah Meredith, manager of Central Missouri Telephone Company office in Knob Noster, accompanied by her assistant, Miss Alice Berry, attended a company meeting at Hotel Muehlebach, in Kansas City, Wednesday.

The Union Thanksgiving service will be held Wednesday evening, November 19, 7:30 o'clock, at the Latter Day Saint church. The choir will be composed of singers from the various churches. The Rev. J. N. Darrell, pastor of the Christian church, will preach the sermon.

Mrs. Blanche Cooper, visited her daughter, Mrs. S. C. Fullerton, and family in Sedalia Monday and Tuesday.

The following are taking a study course of the Baptist Training Union at the Baptist church, in Warrensburg each evening this week: The Rev. and Mrs. O. A. Blaylock and son Roy, Ruth Webster, Wilma and Leone Slusher, Mary Louise and Kenneth Williams.

The annual Red Cross drive opened Thursday morning. Dan Saults, editor of the Knob Noster Gem, is chairman. Mrs. H. C. Schlusing and Mrs. Russell Kendrick will canvass the east part of Knob Noster, and Miss Mary Mahin and Miss Baybelle Jenks, the west end. Suburban collections which include a radius of two miles surrounding Knob Noster is in charge of Mary Lee Bagby and Vivian Chalfant. Myron Sheddick will solicit the school faculty. Jean Adams, Martha Lou Boyd, Marjorie Helen and Mary Elizabeth Wimer, will canvass the main street, Saturday afternoon. The quota for Washington Township is \$75.00.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Summers, of Sedalia, and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Walton of Little Rock, Ark., visited Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Underwood.

Rolla Kendrick, Roy Neighbors, Victor Butler and Rufus Brendel went on a quail hunt Monday in South Missouri.

Mrs. Georgia Hope Littlefield, returned Wednesday evening from Kansas City, where she visited her sister, Mrs. Etta Johnstone.

## South Abell Club Elects

The South Abell Home Economics Extension club held a meeting at the home of Mrs. Jack Kehl with Mrs. Charles Meyer, Mrs. Orr, Mrs. Arnold co-hostesses.

The business meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. Wilbur Garrett by singing the club song and repeating the club collect in unison. There were many visitors as it was visitors day.

The new officers elected were: Mrs. Jess Fairfax, president; Mrs. Wilbur Garrett, vice president; Mrs. Harry Kehl, secretary and treasurer; Mrs. James McFetrich, song and game leader; Mrs. Kelley, reporter; Mrs. John Billings, child development chairman; Mrs. J. W. Watts, parliamentary.

The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Jess Fairfax with Mrs. Karman Riley and Mrs. Rollie Thomas, co-hostesses.

## Blunt Warning To Japanese

By The Associated Press  
Britain's Foreign Secretary Anthony Eden solemnly warned Japan yesterday that any attack on the Burma Road, life line of China's war supplies, would "create a grave situation" amid a Far East crisis already verging on the explosion point.

Authoritative London quarters also cited Japanese naval activity in the south Pacific as indicating that Japan was exerting "increased pressure on Thailand," which adjoins British Burma.

Eden's warning, voiced in the house of commons, followed reports of the massing of Japanese troops in northern French Indo-China, stirring conjecture that Japan may be planning to invade Yunnan Province in an attempt to cut the Burma Road.

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## Obituaries

Mrs. Mary Eva Stothard Richey passed away Tuesday night at 9:30 o'clock at her home three miles east of LaMonte after an illness of two years.

She was born in Cook county, Nebraska, October 10, 1883, the daughter of the late W. N. and Amelia Stothard, former residents of the Dresden community. She came to Missouri with her parents in 1903.

On October 5, 1909 she married James W. Richey and they were the mother of two children, Mrs. D. E. Edwards and Bruce Richey, of Route No. 3, Sedalia, who with her husband and one brother, Edward A. Stothard, of Novelty, Mo., survive her.

### Mrs. Anna McCann

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Almquist, 220 East Nineteenth street, received a message telling them of the death of Mrs. Almquist's niece, Mrs. Anna McCann of Hannibal, and left for that place Tuesday.

### Funeral of Mrs. Batterton

Funeral services for Mrs. Janet L. Batterton, 86 years old, who passed away last Thursday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. A. O. Eyller, in Seattle, Wash., were held at the Green Lake Funeral home there last Saturday, the Rev. Pennell, an Episcopal clergyman, reading the service.

A choir member from his church sang sweetly "My Faith Looks Up To Thee."

Mrs. Batterton was a sister of Mrs. William H. Powell, of 7024 1/2 South Kentucky avenue, this city. She also leaves a granddaughter, Mrs. Loren Smith, of Seattle.

Mrs. Batterton, the widow of the late John Batterton, was a Sedalia resident about sixty years ago.

In later years, since leaving Sedalia, she had visited Mrs. Powell here frequently, during which she formed many lasting friendships.

## Thomas M. Strole Is Recovering

Thomas M. Strole, who received injuries sometime ago, is reported to be out of danger at the Marine hospital in Kirkwood, Mo. His mother, Mrs. P. L. Strole, 618 South Barrett avenue, arrived home yesterday after being with her son.

The young man was a civil service employe at the War Department Medical Dept in St. Louis. He was found lying on the floor at the depot by other employes. He had suffered a fracture of the skull and an injury to the left side of his jaw. No information has been learned just how he received his injuries.

His mother and father and brother will go to St. Louis Sunday with a Soviet detachment which allegedly crossed the border Sunday about 24 miles west with him.

## Smithton Wins Over Cole Camp

The Smithton Tigers took another Pettis County Activity Association conference game Tuesday night when they defeated the Cole Camp high school Jays in basketball at Smithton 51 to 34. The Smithton girls won their volleyball game from Cole Camp 27 to 25.

In the basketball contest Smithton led at the half, although Cole Camp drew first blood, but was soon overtaken by the East Pettis countians. Alderman of Cole Camp was high point man with 14 while Jackson of Smithton was a close second with 13.

At the half the Smithton club led 24 to 11.

Cole Camp girls led the Smithton aggregation at the half by a close margin, but it nip and tuck finish crossed through the last minutes of play Smithton emerged two points to the good.

Last week Smithton defeated Houstonia's basketball team 33 to 30.

## Ponds May Be Built Cheaply

Engineering assistance and \$30 worth of materials will be furnished by the Missouri Conservation Commission to any organization wishing to build a cooperative fish rearing pond, the commission announced this week.

Pettis county already has some rearing ponds, but more could easily be utilized, and any city organizations desiring to build such a pond should contact any member of the county Wildlife Conservation club here.

Approximately one-half million baby fish furnished by the commission were reared to fingerling size in 57 cooperative ponds in Missouri this year. At fingerling size—from 3 to 6 inches in length—the fish are planted in streams and other public fishing waters.

### Babe Drowns In Jar Containing Water

DONIPHAN, Mo., Nov. 19.—(P)—James E. Ryan, 12 months old son of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Ryan of St. Louis, was drowned when he toppled into a large stone jar containing about three inches of water while playing in the yard at the home of his grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Walderman near here late Tuesday.

## Cattle and Grain Market

**Chicago Live Stock**  
CHICAGO, Nov. 19.—(AP)—(U. S. Department of Agriculture)—Hogs 9,000; generally slow; steady; some early sales strong; top \$10.40; bulk good and choice \$10 to 300 pounds \$10.10 to \$10.35; 160 to 150 pounds \$10.00 to \$10.25; sows steady to strong; good and choice 300 to 400 pounds \$9.90 to \$10.10; good 400 to 500 pounds \$9.60 to \$10.00.

Cattle 8,000; calves 800; most killing classes 25 cents higher; active at advance; top \$12.25 on yearlings steers scaling 1,035 to 1,174 pounds; three loads at that price; several loads \$12.40 to \$12.75; medium to good yearlings and comparable handyweight steers 125 to 150 grades scaling over 1,300 pounds showed most advance; weighty steers 50 to 75 cents higher for week; bulk weighty steers \$11.25 to \$12.25; 1,425 pounds \$11.75; 1,411 pounds \$12.15; 1,399 pounds \$12.15; medium grade killers shared advance; stock cattle 25 cents higher for week with yearlings scarce; weighty steers in demand at \$9.00 to \$10.00; most yearlings \$10.50 to \$11.50; good to choice offerings; medium kinds \$8.50 to \$9.50; heifers 25 cents up; prime 932 pound offerings to \$12.75; mostly \$11.25 to \$12.25; cows shared full advance; weighty cutters to \$6.75; most fat cows \$7.00 to \$7.75; bulls strong; weighty sausage offerings to \$9.25; vealers steady at \$13.00 down.

Sheep 4,000; fat lambs and yearlings active, 10 to 15 cents higher; top natives and fed westerns \$11.55 to \$12.00; good and choice 170 to 270 pounds medium to good natives \$11.00 to \$11.50 with strictly good to choice kinds \$11.60 to \$11.65; yearlings \$9.90; most fat ewes \$4.50 to \$5.50; lower grades \$2.00 to \$4.25.

### St. Louis Live Stock

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS, ILL. Nov. 19.—(AP)—(U. S. Department of Agriculture)—Hogs, 7,500; market steady to 10 cents higher; advance mostly on 220 pounds down and sows; top \$10.40; good and choice 170 to 270 pounds \$10.30 to \$10.40; 250 to 300 pounds salable \$10.10 to \$10.25; 140 to 160 pounds \$9.75 to \$10.25; 140 pounds down \$9.50 to \$9.75; sows \$9.15 to \$10.25.

Cattle 3,000; calves 1,200; run includes 45 loads slaughter steers and yearlings; market opening fairly active on most classes; good and choice steers and yearlings \$11.00 to \$11.75; top choice 1,357 pounds \$12.00; choice 1,260 pounds \$11.25; few loads medium quality steers \$9.35 to \$10.25; best mixed yearlings early \$11.75; top sausage bulls \$8.75; top vealers \$12.50; replacement stock scarce, steady at week's advance; nominal range slaughter steers \$7.50 to \$12.75; slaughter heifers \$6.75 to \$12.75; stocker and feeders \$6.50 to \$7.00.

Sheep 2,000; receipts include one load southwester yearlings, balance mostly trucked-in lambs; open around 25 cents higher to small killers; \$11.50 paid for two deeks good to mostly choice offerings; slaughter ewes \$5.50 down.

### Kansas City Live Stock

KANSAS CITY, Nov. 19.—(AP)—(U. S. Department of Agriculture)—Hogs 2,000; very uneven; opened active 15 to 25 cents higher; closed slow, steady to 10 cents higher than Tuesday's average; top \$10.50 to all; good to choice 170 to 300 pounds \$10.25 to \$10.50; light weights scarce, sows \$9.50 to \$10.10.

Cattle 2,800; calves 600; fed steers and yearlings fairly active, unevenly steady to 25 cents higher; short feds showing the full 50 cents advance for the week; spots up more; other killing classes of cattle steady to strong; vealers fully steady; stockers and feeders unchanged; fresh supply light and only a moderate carryover in dealers pens; choice 908 pound fed yearlings steers \$12.75; two loads choice \$17 pound and \$56 pound heifers \$12.25; bulk fed steers \$9.50 to \$11.25; several loads good to choice 1,200 to 1,334 pound weights \$10.50 to \$11.25; medium to good heifers \$9.00 to \$11.00; butcher cows \$6.25 to \$7.50; good to choice vealers \$11.00 to \$12.50.

Sheep 2,000; opening sales lambs and yearlings around 25 cents higher; early top trucked in native lambs \$11.25; some held higher; fed yearlings \$9.50 to \$9.85.

### Chicago Grain Table

WHEAT	High	Low	Cash	Close
Dec. \$1.155	\$1.145	\$1.145	\$1.145	\$1.145
May 1.205	1.195	1.195	1.195	1.195
July 1.205	1.195	1.195	1.20	
CORN				
Dec. .745	.735	.735	.735	.735
May .805	.795	.795	.795	.795
July .805	.795	.795	.81	
OATS				
Dec. .505	.495	.495	.495	.495
May .525	.515	.515	.525	.525
July .515	.51	.51	.505	
SOYBEANS				
Dec. \$1.62	\$1.605	\$1.615	\$1.585	
May 1.655	1.645	1.645	1.63	
July 1.665	1.645	1.66	1.635	
RYE				
Dec. .655	.645	.645	.645	
May .715	.715	.715	.705	
July .735	.725	.73	.725	

### Kansas City Cash Grain

KANSAS CITY, Nov. 19.—(AP)—Wheat: 91 cars; 14 cent lower to 14 cent higher. No. 2 dark hard \$1.14; No. 3, \$1.145; No. 2 hard, \$1.135 to \$1.145; No. 3, \$1.12 to \$1.145; No. 2 red nominal \$1.135 to \$1.19; No. 3, \$1.12 to \$1.14.

Corn: 39 cars; 14 to 14 cent higher. No. 2 white, nominal 73 1/2 to 75 1/2; No. 3, nominal 70 1/2 to 73 1/2; No. 2 yellow, nominal 69 1/2 to 71; No. 3 nominal 67 1/2 to 69 1/2; No. 2 mixed nominal 66 to 70 1/2

## Inspection Of Meats Voted Monday Night

### Council Passes Ordinance For It Before Sales

An ordinance applicable to all slaughter and sale of meats in Sedalia, whether to dealers or through direct sales to housewives and others, was passed by the city council in regular session Monday night.

The ordinance, approved by retail and wholesale meat dealers of Sedalia at a meeting November 11, provides for inspection of all types of meat, brought by farmers into the city for sale, by an appointed health and sanitation meat inspector. The meats must be approved and tagged before they can be sold to packers in Sedalia.

#### Report To Council

"It is to the best interest of the general health of the public to prohibit the sale of meat products which are unwholesome and unfit for consumption," A. L. Pringle, alderman, who made a report on the ordinance for the committee holding a previous hearing on its merits.

The purpose of the ordinance section one of it declares, is to prevent the sale and use in Sedalia of meat and meat food products which are "unhealthful, unwholesome, unsound or otherwise unfit for human food."

The proprietor or operator of each abattoir slaughtering animals for food consumption is required to make application to the health and sanitation officer for a permit to do so, giving the location of such establishment, stipulating the owner or authorized agent of same, together with the hour of slaughtering, and an estimate of the number of animals to be slaughtered each day, quantity and proposed disposition of the product of such establishment and such other information as the health and sanitation officer may require.

"This section," the ordinance provided, "shall not be construed to prevent producers from butchering at home, stock raised by them."

Section four of the ordinance reads:

"Carcases of animals where such animals are the product and have been cared for, raised and fed by the producer and killed upon farms outside the city for the purpose of being sold for human food within the city, shall be offered for inspection at the place designated by the health and sanitation officer; such carcases must have the head, heart, liver and lungs held by their natural attachments for identification. Persons desiring such inspection shall notify the health and sanitation officer so that adequate opportunity may be had to make inspection by daylight. If such carcases shall be found free from disease and otherwise sound and healthful and fit for human consumption, they shall be passed and so stamped and labeled and such carcases shall be refrigerated for at least twelve (12) hours before being offered for sale during the months of April, May, June, July, August and September."

Fees for inspection of animals slaughtered are 20 cents per head on cattle and calves; and for swine, sheep and goats the inspection fee is ten cents per head. In addition there shall be paid to the health and sanitation officer the sum of ten cents per mile travelled to the place of inspection from the office of the health and sanitation officer.

The ordinance also states that persons handling meat must be examined by a physician every six months and must always carry a health certificate with them. Clothing and tools used while handling meat must be free from dangerous germs and places of slaughter and sale must be completely sanitary.

Violators of the ordinance can be fined as much as \$200.

A suggestion for a resolution making it unlawful to move a car after an accident, until police have arrived, was given before the council by Harry Anderson, chief of police.

Many motorists move their automobiles after colliding with another, thus eliminating the possibility of determining the rate of speed at which the driver was traveling when the accident occurred, Anderson explained.

The position of a car after it has stopped, following an accident, often gives clues to the cause of the accident that cannot be found if the auto is moved, the police chief told the council.

#### Must Not Leave Scene

A Missouri law, now in effect, makes it unlawful for a motorist to leave the scene of an accident until he has reported his name and address to the police. Fred F. Wesner, city counselor, agreed to consider the possibility of an ordinance being passed in Sedalia prohibiting moving cars after an accident before arrival of police.

A number of complaints have been made in recent months about M-K-T trains blocking the Engineer avenue crossings longer than a city ordinance permits on solicitation a report from Chief Zone Anderson that from a period

of July 1 to August 6 trains allegedly blocked the crossing over the allotted period of ten minutes but eight times.

#### School Children Delayed

Six times the trains were covering the crossing from eight to 12 minutes; one time 13 minutes and the other 15 minutes, the chief stated. A councilman told of the many children who are delayed on their way to school because of the blocked crossing and suggested that the railroad be notified to stay within the limit, especially during the approaching cold weather, which would keep the school children waiting in the snow for several minutes.

Two council members absent from the session were E. C. Summers and Dr. F. M. Fulkerson.

## Post 16 To Have Guard Of Honor

### Legion Establishes Special Group At Meeting Held

A guard of honor, including a color guard and firing squad, will be formed by the Pettis County Post No. 16 of the American Legion for attendance at the funerals of Legionnaires in the county, it was announced at Monday night's Legion meeting.

The special organization will take complete charge of funeral services, if relatives of the deceased desire, and the membership will include a post chaplain, who will conduct burial services.

The guard will be patterned after a similar organization of the St. Louis districts which demonstrated its activities Sunday at the state session of Missouri American Legion commanders and adjutants, held at the Pettis county court house.

The St. Louis guard of honor often attends as many as five funeral seach day, and is divided into several guard units. The Pettis county guard will attend as many funerals of deceased comrades as is possible. The St. Louis organization has over 190 members and is leading an effort to make the guard of honor a permanent organization within every state Legion post.

Sedalia was the first of 49 American Legion posts to exceed its membership drive quota for the year, swelling its ranks to over 100 above the membership figure for 1940. The entire state has 5,000 more members than it did last year.

Richard Woods was elected chairman of the entertainment committee of the Pettis county post for the year, and Walter Pinkepank was elected chairman of the Sons of the Legion committee. Both men will appoint member sto serve on the committees.

## No Christmas Trade Drawings

There will be no Christmas Trade drawings on Sedalia's business streets this holiday season. Plans, originally set up a few weeks ago, were ordered cancelled at a meeting yesterday of the Sedalia Chamber of Commerce Retail Merchants division.

A statement, approved by the merchants' committee, was as follows:

"Although we have looked upon our Christmas Trade Drawings as an innocent and pleasant means of giving a bonus to our customers, rather than as a form of gambling, it is nevertheless true that under the law the drawings might be interpreted as a form of lottery. For that reason, the Sedalia Chamber of Commerce Retail Merchants Division is cancelling plans for the Christmas Trade drawings.

"Efforts are being made to prepare a substitute program for the days on which these drawings would have been held, and an announcement will be made in the very near future.

J. L. ROSENTHAL, Director Sedalia Chamber of Commerce Retail Merchants Division.

R. M. BATES, Chairman, General Committee."

## Jobs For 1,398 In Nine Months

The Sedalia office of the Missouri State Employment service found jobs in private industry for 1,398 idle workers during the first nine months of this year, Norris Palmer, head of the local office, announced.

The rapid absorption of workers in defense industries has caused a demand for labor in stores all over the country and employers generally turn first to the government employment service for help.

With the holiday demand for additional workers beginning, service officials expect an unprecedented demand for clerks and other workers before the close of the year.

#### Marriage License Issued

Leonard E. Harns and Lois Tucker, both of Sedalia.

Bill Meyer and Ella Reed, both of Sedalia.

Urvaco O. Schreck, Fortuna, and Betty Bennett, Sedalia.

## Norris To Retire After Present Term

### Senator Glass Says He Expects To Run Again

WASHINGTON, Nov. 18—(AP)—One Senate veteran, Senator Norris (Ind.-Neb.), announced Monday he would retire when his present term expired in Jan., 1943, while another, Senator Glass (D-Va.), said that he would run again next year.

The 83-year-old Glass, who came to the Senate 21 years ago, said in an interview that "I expect to run again; I will run if I am still living."

Referring to the late Senator and Navy Secretary Claude Swanson, Glass asserted that "he used to say there were two ways to run—with opposition and without."

#### 40 Years Service

Norris, who will round out 40 years of congressional service with the expiration of his present term, told reporters that "I know now that my ability to work and carry on is decreasing."

"I do not feel," the 80-year-old Nebraska continued, "that I would be doing justice to my state or to the nation by trying to hold office after my usefulness has disappeared. A man reaches the age when he is unable to do the work of the Senate. I feel that I have reached that period in my life."

Norris is the only remaining member who cast a Senate vote against American entry into the World war. A silver-haired, cigar-smoking veteran now, he has consistently supported President Roosevelt's foreign policies.

Norris was reluctant to run in the last election, but friends, including President Roosevelt, persuaded him to make the race.

Glass, widely known as father of the federal reserve act, has opposed many administration domestic policies as vigorously as Norris has supported them. As a former secretary of the treasury, he repeatedly has criticized government fiscal policies.

On the issue of foreign policy, however, he has been wholeheartedly behind the President. Again and again he has declared, "the only answer to Hitler is to shoot the hell out of him."

## Truck Damaged By Hit-And-Run Car

A large Coca Cola truck of the Coca Cola Bottling Co., in Sedalia was struck by a Buick sedan Monday afternoon a mile east of Highway 65 junction on Highway 40, doing considerable damage to the truck. The driver of the Buick failed to stop and continued on west on 40 highway.

A woman and man in a Buick sedan were picked up by officers of Lafayette county, and taken to Lexington where they were later released.

The truck was driven by Hershell Ross of Sedalia.

#### Woman Bitten by A Cat With Rabies

Mrs. John Shull, Hughesville, who was attacked and bitten by a cat suffering with rabies on Tuesday, November 11, is able to be up and about. Mrs. Shull is taking vaccine treatments.

The cat was caught and the head sent for examination with the report being returned it had rabies. It is believed the cat may have bitten several other cats in the neighborhood and possibly other residents of Hughesville.

#### Child of Former Sedalia Woman Hit By Car

Word has been received in Sedalia of the injury of Rhoda Ann Schoepflin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Schoepflin, of 5416 South Walton, Los Angeles, California. The little girl was struck by an automobile while in front of the school which she attends.

She received a fractured left leg and bruises.

The little girl is six years old. Mrs. Schoepflin before her marriage was Miss Maude McGee of Sedalia.

#### Attend Funeral Many Here To

The out of town persons attending the funeral of Lovell Patterson Sunday afternoon were: Rev. and Mrs. V. T. Wood, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mayese, Mrs. John Powers, Miss Flora Dutcher, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Crossley, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Couch, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Deimer, Mrs. Willie Estes, Dr. and Mrs. W. R. Patterson, Mr. J. L. Essig, all of Warrensburg, Mo., Dr. Frank W. Patterson and Dr. Kurtz of Springfield, Mr. and Mrs. Irving C. Patterson and daughter Miss Harriet Patterson of Forrest City, Ark., Mr. Arch Collier and Mr. and Mrs. Claire Ferguson of Tipton, and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Palmer of Otterville.

#### Granted Maiden Name

A divorce and restoration of her maiden name of Dilcey Nelson was granted by the circuit court yesterday to Dilcey Butler against Lee Butler. Montgomery and Salvatore were attorneys for the plaintiff.

Miss Holbert is the daughter of Dr. E. H. Holbert, of 1202 South Lamine avenue.

## Wed Fifty Years



Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Durbin of Windsor, who celebrated their golden wedding anniversary Sunday, November 9.

## • Otterville

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Stephens have received word that their niece, Eunice Dugan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Dugan, of Kansas City, had been chosen one of four girls out of a class of 75 band students to represent Northwest Kansas City high school at the state teachers' meeting to be held in St. Louis the first week in December.

Mrs. J. M. Bente, Mrs. Mina Bente and daughters, Misses Lois and Milo, also Blair Bente attended a family dinner Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Goddard in Sedalia celebrating the seventy-ninth birthday of Mrs. Goddard's father, J. M. Bente.

Miss Mary Bidstrup, English teacher in the high school, has been ill at the home of Mrs. Grace Arni and Mrs. Lloyd Speaker has been in charge of her classes.

Mrs. Pauline Spillers left Friday for Kansas City and after a brief visit there will leave Monday for Glendale, Calif., to spend the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Raymond Dahler, and Mr. Dahler.

Members of the Otterville chapter of the Eastern Star entertained the members of the Pleasant Grove lodge No. 142, A. F. & A. M., and their wives Wednesday evening at 6 o'clock dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Pierpont Atkinson and children visited Sunday in Kansas City. They were accompanied home by his mother, Mrs. Anna Atkinson, who spent the past several weeks with relatives at Pittsburg, Kas.

Mrs. Sallie Smith is visiting her daughter, Mrs. A. R. Merrill, of Sherrill, Ark.

Mrs. Virgil Bryan was hostess to the Laf-a-Lot club at her home Tuesday evening. Refreshments were served after a social time.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Allen, of Chicago, visited last week with his aunt, Miss Mollie Allen.

Mrs. Martha Small is visiting her brother, John Small, in Los Angeles, Calif.

Mrs. Oscar Brownfield, who has been a patient at the Bothwell hospital in Sedalia, is home improved.

Mr. and Mrs. James Craig, of Independence, spent a short time Sunday in the home of Mrs. Mendora Lewis, Mrs. Lewis and son William, accompanied them home for a visit and to be with her sister, Mrs. Missouri Lindsay, who is quite ill.

Mrs. Dora Talferro has returned from Kansas City, where she spent several weeks with her son, Fred Talferro, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Roger Starke, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Cole and son, Frank, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Gunn went to Tipton Saturday to attend a reception held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Briscoe in celebration of their sixty-fifth wedding anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Strain went to Kansas City Sunday for a visit with their daughter, Miss Lois Bente and Blair Bente, of Kansas City, and Miss Milo Bente, of Jefferson City, spent Saturday and Sunday with their mother, Mrs. Mina Bente.

Mrs. Maggie Arni, who has been confined to her home for some time on account of illness, fell recently severely injuring her hip.

Mrs. J. E. Golladay entertained members of the bridge club at her home at a 1 o'clock luncheon Thursday afternoon. There were three tables of players. Invited guests were Mrs. Clara Howell, Mrs. Kate Burnett, Mrs. Herbert Kuhn, Mrs. Anna Atkinson, Miss Burnett. The hostess served refreshments.

## Injured By A Stray Bullet

Miss Marian Holbert, pastor of the Methodist church at Byron, Neb., is recovering from a bullet wound in her neck received November 6 when struck by a stray bullet.

A man by the name of Jay Swartz was shooting a rifle at a dog and the bullet struck the sidewalk and glanced, flying through the air for some distance before striking Miss Holbert.

Miss Holbert is the daughter of Dr. E. H. Holbert, of 1202 South Lamine avenue.

## KNOB NOSTER

## Church Group Has Election On Thursday

### Numerous Visitors Dinner Guests Of Relatives Sunday

William Gowins, who is corporal with the marines in San Diego, Calif., is spending a 15-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Gowins. "Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Ditt and daughter, Barbara Ellen, of California, visited Saturday night and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Wimer.

The Women's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist church met with Mrs. Henry C. Schlusing at her home Thursday afternoon. The following officers for 1942 were elected: President, Mrs. Roy Neighbors; first vice-president, Mrs. C. B. Means; second vice-president, Mrs. O. W. Peithman; third vice-president, Mrs. Frank Jenks; recording secretary, Mrs. Elliott Foster; corresponding secretary, Miss Mabelle Jenks; treasurer, Mrs. William Busby; secretary of literature, Mrs. G. B. Snapp; secretary of supplies, Mrs. Henry C. Schlusing and secretary of spiritual life, Mrs. Queen Spiess.

Mrs. Walter Carr spent several days last week in Kansas City with her daughter, Miss Jean Frances.

The following were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Miller at their home south of Knob Noster Sunday: Mrs. John Stevens and family, of Neosho, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Coats and daughter, Barbara Jean, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Seigfried and daughter, Pauline, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Bailey and children Doris and Roger, George Seigfried and Mr. and Mrs. Everett Miller and sons, Charles and Wayne.

Gardner Boyd, who teaches in the West Junior high school in Kansas City spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Boyd.

Dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. David Logan were: Mr. and Mrs. Howard Logan, of Kansas City, Mrs. Eril Brim and daughter, Elizabeth of Warrensburg, Mrs. Ezra Emig, of Beulah, N. D., Mr. and Mrs. Earl Copeland and daughters, Zandra and Dawn and Mrs. W. X. Stephens.

Mrs. James Lemley, of Webster Groves and niece, Mrs. Roy Johnson of Windsor, spent Friday with Mrs. Lemley's sister-in-law, Mrs. A. L. Berry.

## • Ionia

(By Mrs. Homer Howe)

Miss Dorothy Myers, who is attending South Missouri State Teachers college, at Springfield, visited over the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Myers.

Mrs. E. W. Smith, Ray Smith and Miss Nan Mahnen motored to Rogers, Ark., Saturday, where they purchased some nursery stock. Miss Gertrude Kohlborn, Mrs. Maude Donagan of Sedalia and Mrs. Sternwalt, visited Sunday with Mrs. R. A. Willis and Mrs. Ruth Funk.

Elmo Kreisler, Frederick and Ruby Moe Kreisler, of Clinton, visited Wednesday with Ionia friends, Ruby Mae and Frederick visited the Ionia school.

A shipment of forty-eight dresses for the Red Cross was made Wednesday. This makes sixty-six dresses which have been made by the Ionia group.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Kelb and children, Marietta and Lloyd, of Springfield, spent the weekend at their home here. On Wednesday Mrs. Kelb and Lloyd returned to Ionia and Mrs. Kelb is ill at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Neil.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Hampy visited over the weekend with their son, Herbert Hampy and Mrs. Hampy at Omaha, Neb. They made the acquaintance of their granddaughter, the infant of Mr. and Mrs. H. Hampy.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudy Harms entertained at dinner Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Argenbright, Mr. and Mrs. William Krohn, John Krohn and William Keuper.

Mrs. Sophia Schlusing, who has been visiting in the home of her son, Arthur Hampy, returned Friday to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Demand, at Smithton.

Mrs. Clarence Neil and son, Dennis Ray, visited Sunday at Hamburg, Iowa, with a cousin of Mrs. Neil.

Mrs. Anna Martin, of Lincoln, visited several days the past week with her daughter, Mrs. G. G. Williams and Mr. Williams. She returned to her home Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bard, of Smithton, visited until Monday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Krohn.

The Women's Society of Christian service met at the Methodist church Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Harold Alcorn led the devotionals and Miss Jewel Howe conducted the study program, the subject being, "Peace For Defense." During the business session plans were completed for the annual church supper and

bazaar which will be held in the church basement on November 19.

Mrs. L. G. Nixon entertained a group of friends at her home Wednesday afternoon, honoring the birthdays of Mrs. J. D. Friedley and Mrs. Spencer Miller. Other guests were Mrs. Jay Nicholson, Mrs. Williams and daughter of Sedalia, Mrs. A. A. Mahnken, Mrs. L. A. Marsh, Mrs. M. L. Nixon, Mrs. Stewhelt and Iola Friedley.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Wisdom, Jr., of Tipton, visited Sunday with Mrs. Wisdom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. Van Wey.

Mr. and Mrs. William Krohn visited Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wischmeier, of Lincoln. Mr. Griffith and family moved the past week from Henly, Mo., to the Fisher property northwest of Ionia. Mr. Griffith is station agent for the Rock Island railroad.

## • Real Estate Transfer

Zola Larson, and others, to William L. Blakely and Birdie J. Blakely, warranty deed to 34 acres in Blackwater township \$650.

Cecil F. Chaney and wife to David Epple and Mary A. Epple, a warranty deed to property in Longwood and 5.87 acres, more or less, in Longwood township \$1,500.

Chas. R. Gentry, trustee, to William Perney Pinkett, trustee's deed to property in Lincoln, in North Sedalia \$15.

R. L. Wall, trustee to Delle B. Corum, trustee's deed to 73 acres more or less, in Blackwater township \$500.

Bishop D. Slinkard and wife to Forrest Poindexter and Faye M. Poindexter, warranty deed to property on the south side of Eleventh street between Hancock and Marvina avenue \$854.

May Beaman to C. L. Wilson, warranty deed to undivided one-half interest in 83 acres, in Heaths Creek township \$1 and other consideration.

Lora B. Lynn and husband to John Wood and Gertrude Wood, warranty deed to 10 acres, more or less, in Sedalia township \$1 and other consideration.

Lizzie Bohon to Edward C. Sutherland and Louella Mae Sutherland, warranty deed to property in the town of Smithton \$1,100.

Charles W. Kiefer and wife to Robert L. Snell and Anna Mae Snell warranty deed to the property on the east side of Missouri avenue adjoining the railroad \$1 and other consideration.

Central Business College to Atwell L. Bohling, warranty deed to property at the southeast corner of Sixth street and Mass. avenue \$1,000 and other consideration.

C. E. Terry, administrator, to Harry Bernard and Susie Ann Bernard, administrator's deed to 40 acres, more or less, in Houston township \$2,520.

Chas. R. Gentry, trustee, to I. L. Maxwell, trustee's deed to the property on the south side of Main street, west of Park avenue \$35.

Chester L. Anderson and wife to Lindley E. Simpson, warranty deed to property on the south side of Eleventh street between Hancock and Thompson avenues \$1 and other consideration.

Mutual Benefit Life Insurance Co. to Charles W. Rothgeb, special warranty deed to property in Dresden and 292 1/2 acres, more or less in Dresden township \$9,000.

John T. Martin to Charles E. Michel, Jr., and Elise L. Michel, quit claim deed to property at the southeast corner of Thirteenth street and Marvin avenue and on the east side of Thirteenth street between Marvin and Montgomery avenue \$1 and other consideration.

Ermine L. Beardsley and husband to Leonard L. Walker, warranty deed to property on the south side of Fifth street between Montgomery and Brown avenue \$1 and other consideration.

J. W. Palmer, trustee, to Johanna Schmidt, trustee's deed to undivided one-half interest in property at the northwest corner of Second street and Lamine avenue \$100.

J. W. Palmer, trustee, to Louis C. Heuerman and Anna L. Heuerman, trustee's deed to 23 acres of land, more or less, in Sedalia township \$200.

Ernest Beyer and wife to Robert M. Farris and Anna A. Farris warranty deed to property on the south side of Third street, between Washington and Lafayette avenue \$1 and other consideration.

Robert M. Farris and wife to E. E. Sterling and Madge M. Sterling warranty deed to tract of land in La Monte township \$1 and other consideration.

Almon L. Bary and wife to Victor D. Bary and Viola J. Bary warranty deed to property in Green Ridge \$1.00.

Charles Watson and wife to Charles Franklin Watson and Rhoda Watson, warranty deed to property in northeast Sedalia \$1.

Edgar C. Houston and wife to Harold J. Woods and Naomi May Woods, warranty deed to property at the northeast corner of Thirteenth street and Marvin avenue \$1 and other consideration.

Mildred Hiltburg and husband and others to Truman W. Embree warranty deed to property in Beaman \$300.

There are approximately 375 government licensed parachute packers in the United States.

## • Obituaries

### Funeral of John J. Gilmore

Funeral services for John J. Gilmore, 93 years old, who passed away Sunday night at the home of his daughter, Mrs. J. C. Darrill, 2900 South Grand avenue, will be conducted at 9 o'clock Thursday morning at the McLaughlin Funeral Chapel. The Reverend Ralph E. Hurd, pastor of the Epworth Methodist church, will officiate.

The body will then be taken to Springfield where interment will be made in the Springfield cemetery beside the grave of his wife who passed away several years ago.

#### Fred Fischer

Fred Fischer, 50 years old, passed away at his home south of LaMonte, at 8:45 Sunday morning following a stroke of paralysis several days ago.

Mr. Fischer was born at Highbridge, October 2, 1891 the son of Louis and Wilhelmina Fischer. He has lived in the LaMonte community for two years, having moved here from Highbridge.

Mr. Fischer is survived by his wife, Mrs. Ida Fischer and one step-son, Omar Melvin of the home; his father, Louis Fischer, House Springs; two brothers, Charles Fischer, St. Louis, Walter Fischer, House Springs, and one sister, Mrs. Theodore Rose, Cedar Hill.

Short funeral services were held at the family home at 11:00 o'clock Monday morning with the Rev. Dan Moore, of LaMonte officiating, after which the body was taken to House Springs, in the Ewing funeral coach for interment in the family lot in the Cedar Hill cemetery.

#### Ray Logan

Ray Logan, well known Sedalian, and for a number of years district manager for the Automobile Club of Missouri, died at the family home, 1014 South Kentucky avenue, at 5 o'clock Friday afternoon. He had been confined to his home for two and one-half years, and in failing health for many months prior to that time.

Born in Jerico Springs in 1887, a son of the late